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OUTLINES.

Mr. Roosevelt leaves today for his Summer vacation at Oyster Bay. He says he has had a "corking time" of late in the White House——Harry Skinner, of North Carolina, was one of the seconds of the nomination of Congressman Sherman, who was yesterday nominated as Vice President by the Republican convention——Secretary Taft yesterday resigned as Secretary of War. General Luke Wright will be appointed as his successor——Roosevelt and Taft send congratulatory telegrams to Mr. Sherman——Dr. Thomas W. Small, surgeon on the American Line steamer St. Louis, committed suicide in his cabin yesterday——Richard Croker's horse Rhodora won the Ascot race yesterday——The Republican National Committee meets and appoints Powell Clayton, of Arkansas as temporary chairman. It will not elect a permanent chairman until Mr. Taft is heard from as to his preference as to the person who shall manage his campaign——The nomination of Secretary Taft gives pleasure to Kaiser William, who had been kept informed through the German embassy at Washington of the progress of the White House campaign for his nomination——A negro savings bank in Little Rock is forced to suspend because of a run on it caused by the bank's refusal to cash the check of a customer who had overdrawn his account——The defeated candidates for the Presidential nomination telegraph their congratulations to Mr. Taft——James R. Keene's 4-year-old had an easy victory over the field for the Suburban race at Sheepshead yesterday——At Watertown, N. Y., a woman is convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to electrocution——New York markets: Money on call easy 1 1-2@1 3-4 per cent, ruling rate 1 1-2, closing bid 1 1-4, offered at 1 1-2, time loans dull. Spot cotton closed quiet, 10 points higher, middling uplands 12.20, middling gulf 12.45. Flour dull. Wheat easy, No. 2 red 98 elevator. Corn steady, No. 2, 77 nominal elevator. Oats firm, mixed 54@55. Rosin quiet. Turpentine quiet.

Governor Johnson is the man for the Democrats to put up against Taft if they want to win.

The Democrats could take many profitable lessons on political harmony from the Republicans.

"Shoot Luke or give up the gun." You are expected to secure the Tennessee electoral vote for Mr. Taft.

Wilmington must not expect to beat the club all the time that no other club in the league has been able to defeat.

We suppose there is but one man in the whole country better pleased with the outcome of the Chicago convention than President Roosevelt.

That delegate from West Virginia who cast the only vote in all the convention for Mr. Fairbanks must have felt mighty lonesome.

It is about time the Charlotte Chronicle was hunting up its cut of a crowing rooster so as to have it ready for use next week when Horne is nominated.

Mr. Roosevelt goes to his Summer home today. He will take his departure from Washington well pleased with the results of his work of the past few months.

There is one thing about it. No matter how it turns out Mr. Horne wil have nothing to regret as to anything he did or said during the campaign for the nomination.

Next Wednesday is the big day in Charlotte. The Democratic hosts will be gathered there on that day to participate in one of the most exciting conventions ever held in the State.

Those persons who think the Republican ticket is an easy one for the Democrats to defeat—especially with Bryan as their candidate—are going to find themselves mighty badly mistaken.

We suppose Mr. Gompers will now go to the Democratic National convention with his demands for certain declarations in the party platform. He got cold comfort from the Republican convention.

The combined forces of the allies did not amount to much in preventing the nomination of Taft, and when he got it they lay down before him and almost tumbled over themselves to nominate his choice as his running mate.

"The suggestion that Mr. Taft will conduct 'a porch campaign' after the McKinley plan of 1896, is said to be impracticable because Taft has no front porch."—News and Observer. But he has got a pretty good-sized bay-window.

TOURNAMENT ENDED

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Inter-State Day Yesterday Were Close and Exciting on The Track.

HOSE WAGON AND HAND REEL

Raleigh Wins Tie From Rocky Mount. Fire Laddies are Leaving For Their Homes—Next Year at Asheville, N. C.

With the hand reel races yesterday morning and the horse hose wagon contests yesterday afternoon as the events of Inter-State Day, the 21st annual tournament of the North Carolina Firemen's Association came to an end and the fire laddies of the State will meet next year at Asheville, N. C., the time to be decided later by the Executive Committee.

There were no teams from out of the State to compete in the races yesterday but the keen rivalry among the home companies made the various contests close and exciting. The crowds were large but not nearly so large as on the opening day on account of the several outdoor counter-attractions. In the hand reel races Salem No. 1 took first money; time 25 3-5 seconds. Southside of Salisbury was second with 25 4-5 seconds and the Independents of Monroe were third. The Chapel Hill team made possibly the fastest run, this being nineteen seconds to the hydrant, but it failed to show water through the required length of hose and was ruled out. This was a keen disappointment to the Chapel Hill boys and many spectators congratulated them upon the exceedingly fast run that they made.

The horse hose wagon races were called yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in order that the crowds might attend the baseball game. Better time mas made than on the opening day for State events. The Rescue Company of Raleigh took first money; time 30 seconds; Eclipse of Goldsboro was second with 31 1-5 second, lowering its record of Wednesday by three-fifths of a second, and the Atlantics of Newbern were third; time 32 seconds. Other records were as follows: Rocky Mount, failed at hydrant. Durham No. 2, 34 seconds. Asheville No. 1, 35 seconds. Newbern No. 1, 33 4-5 seconds. Durham No. 1, 35 4-5 seconds. Asheville No. 2, 33 seconds. High Point, Sanford and Henderson failed to enter as expected.

One of the most exciting events of the day was the running off of the tie for second and third places respectively in the hose wagon races between Rocky Mount and Capital Hose of Raleigh, who each made the time in 32 seconds. Goldsboro was first on Wednesday with 31 4-5 seconds and yesterday Raleigh took second place; time 31 3-5 and Rocky Mount third; time 32 3-5.

Last of Attractions Today.

Although many of the firemen have gone to their homes, the week will not end formally until tonight. The Red Men's Carnival at 13th and Market streets will continue through tonight and the same will be true of the spectacular production of "Fighting the Flames" at Front and Market. The carnival is declared by everybody to be first-class in every respect and one of the biggest days of the week will be Saturday. As the visitors have thinned out considerably, the home folks will find today the best time to see the various attractions. The balloon ascensions, "Leap the Gap" as free attractions, are well worth a visit to the grounds. The various paid attractions are clean and meritorious The Johnny Jones Company is making an honest effort to please and their efforts should be appreciated.

ATTACHMENT PAPERS.

Issued Yesterday and Saloon on Market Street Closed.

Alleging that C. F. Sheek, proprietor of the Cape Fear Distilling Company, has concealed himself from the reach of the officers in an effort to defraud his creditors, a saloon conducted by him on Market street, between Front and Second, was closed yesterday afternoon on attachment papers issued from the office of Justice G. W. Bornemann.

The attachment was up on complaint of Mr. Isadore Bear, trading as Sol. Bear & Co., in order to recover a debt of $177.52, which it is claimed was long past due. An effort was made by the plaintiff to get service and the officers being unable to summon him to trial, necessitated the further action. The property was taken in charge by the authorities and unless the proprietor appears before July 19th, the fixtures and stock will be sold to satisfy the amount.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. O. Brown—Repair Shop.
Lumina—Week-End Dance.
W. M. Bellamy—Assignee's Sale.
Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—Call on Us.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Carpenters.
Wanted—Book-keeper.
Moler Barber College—Men.
Woman's Exchange—Close Saturdays.

THE MISSIONARY UNION

Interesting Meeting of Ladies of Wilmington Presbytery at Trenton This Week—Election of Officers and Addresses.

The Ladies' Missionary Union of Wilmington Presbytery, met in annual session at Trenton, N. C., Wednesday and Thursday of this week, and the full delegation from Wilmington, who returned home yesterday report a most interesting meeting. The Presbytery includes several surrounding counties and delegates were in attendance as representatives from the various churches in this section. The programme for the two days' session included papers on various phases of missionary work, which were a source of much interest to all present.

Other features of the meeting were addresses by Dr. Lilly, of Winston, who is working in the interest of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, Mr. McMillan, of Atlanta, and Dr. Caldwell, a returned missionary from China.

The entire meeting was taken up in the discussion of missionary work being carried on so successfully by Wilmington Presbytery. The report of the finance committee showed a splendid record during the past year and a large increase in the funds sent to foreign countries for the support of missionaries and to carry on the work.

The delegates were exceedingly well pleased with the excellent showing, the interest manifested by active workers in the various societies and the addresses by the visiting missionary workers.

Those who attended from Wilmington were: Mrs. W. H. Sprunt, Mrs. A. D. McClure, Mrs. W. H. Chadbourn, Mrs. L. J. Merriman, Mrs. W. T. Bannerman, Mrs. M. D. Bright, Dr. J. M. Wells, D. D., and Mrs. Jackson Johnson, of Brunswick. Mrs. J. C. Stewart, of this city, who was unable to attend was re-elected president and Mrs. A. D. McClure was named as vice president. These ladies have been faithful workers in the local society for a number of years and the selections meet with general approval.

BELIEVED FORTUNE TELLER.

Colored Preacher and Step-Father Had General Mix-Up.

Most peculiar circumstances brought about charges against Rev. William Boney, colored, who was before Justice Furlong yesterday on a peace warrant, for disorderly conduct and trespass. On the last two charges he submitted and was taxed with the cost, and the peace warrant against him was withdrawn.

It was a coincidence of very unusual nature and when the facts in the affair were learned it created much interest among the parson's congregation. Boney went to see a fortune-teller a few days ago and she recited to him his past, present and future life. She foretold him that his step-father, John F. Smith, would have him arrested and believing that it was true, he proceeded home to make an investigation of the predicted trouble between him and his step-father. Both of them up to this time had lived together very peacefully, but the fact that Smith had determined to have him prosecuted was sufficient to put him in a rage, and he swore vengeance.

They had all kinds of trouble and they even went so far as to bring forth pistols, but fortunately the trouble ceased before there was any damage. Following the trouble Smith was wrought up over the matter, and went before Justice Furlong and had the preacher arrested and placed in jail, carrying out to the letter what the fortune-teller predicted.

An Interesting Revival.

A very interesting revival has been going on during the past week at the Advent Christian Church at Sixth and Church streets. Evangelist J. M. Kelley from Biddeford, Me., has been holding some of the best meetings had for a long time at the church. Several have been revived and a number have given their lives into God's keeping. Next Sunday afternoon a number will be baptized, the announcement of which will be made later. Evangelist Kelley holds his hearers with close attention from start to finish in each of his able discourses. The church has secured his services for another week. Meetings Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8. P. M. Baptism Sunday afternoon. A cordial invitation extended to everybody.

Funeral of Miss Hornbey.

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Hornbey, whose death occurred Wednesday afternoon, was conducted from the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rowan, 515 North Fifth street, yesterday morning at 9 o'clock and the remains were interred in Oakdale cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Capt. John Barry, Messrs. Alderman, M. Carroll, M. Griffin; active, M. O'Brien, J. Elmore, T. C. Dickinson and W. Bate.

A Few Cases Yesterday.

A few petty cases were tried in the Mayor's court yesterday, John Hall, colored, on the charge of vagrancy, was sent to the county roads to serve a sentence of thirty days, and the other proceedings consisted of defendants for simple assaults, drunkenness and disorder.

BANKS OF THE STATE

Summary of Condition of All Institutions Doing Business in North Carolina.

PROHIBITION PROCLAMATION

Signed by Governor With Due Ceremonies Yesterday—Banners Presented For Faithful Service. Other Raleigh News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 19.—A summary of the condition of State, private and savings banks doing business in North Carolina is just issued by the North Carolina Corporation Commission showing that the aggregate of resources is $45,590,863 and that the total on deposit subject to check and otherwise foots up $31,225,216.

Some of the most notable items of resources are: Time loans and discounts outstanding $31,603,334, banking houses and furniture $1,323,411; North Carolina State bonds $232,189. There are 297 of the three classes of banks named included in the summary by the Commission—all the banks in the State except the National banks.

More than 100 enthusiastic prohibitionists, leaders and others, gathered in the executive office of Governor Glenn this morning at 11 o'clock for the ceremonies of the signing of the proclamation declaring the ratification of the State prohibition act. The ceremony required more than an hour and addresses were made by Editor Josephus Daniels, of the News and Observer, in presenting a beautiful silk banner from the temperance women of the State to Buncombe county for the largest prohibition majority of any county in the State. The acceptance of the banner was by Dr. W. P. Whittington, of Asheville.

State Organizer R. L. Davis presented a banner from the same source to Yancey county for the largest per cent. of vote cast for prohibition. This was accepted by Chairman E. C. Gardner, of Yancey, in an especially eloquent and spirited address.

State Chairman Oates spoke at length of the campaign, paying tribute to the Governor and others who worked for the success of prohibition. Governor Glenn declared that the signing of the proclamation was the happiest moment of his life and that whenever his aid was needed for temperance or any other good cause he was ready to spend and be spent for his State.

BRADSTREET'S REPORT.

New York, June 19.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Aside from the continuance of the better tone as regards the future, and some further enlargement of industrial operations notably in textile lines, there is little new to report as to trade. Business as a whole has been quiet. There is general agreement that retailers stock are not large, but filling in orders continue to be frequent rather than heavy. Fall buying has been a trifle more assured at eastern and central western centres, but conservatism and a disposition to await crop and political developments guard against anything like free buying. Collections are backward as a whole.

One of the best circumstance lines seems to be leather, though demand for shoes is inactive. Lumber is better at the west and yellow pine is higher. Iron and steel demand show no enlargement to speak of. Building is less active than a year ago and the unemployed in this line are very numerous.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending June 18 number 254, which compares with 253 last week, 165 in the like week of 1907, 173 in 1906, 157 in 1905 and 215 in 1904.

FINE SPORT AT THE TRAPS.

High Scores by Members of the Wilmington Gun Club Yesterday.

The most successful weekly shoot held this season by the Wilmington Gun Club was that yesterday afternoon on the traps near Delgado, just before the baseball game. The trap was in excellent condition and the weather was good. Nine men faced the traps and each of them made gilt-edged records at the targets. Stokley was high gun with 49 out of 50, breaking 24 out of the first 25 and having a straight run for the last 25. Penny and Dreher tied for next highest with 48 out of 50. Each took 24 out of 25 in each run. Boylin and Holmes were third with 46-50, making 23 and 22 and 24, respectively out of each 25, while Harriss, Boushee and Taylor were next in line with 45 out of 50. Each of the three last named broke 22 out of the first 25 and 23 out of the second run. Littig had a straight run of 25 out of his first turn at the targets but could get but 18 out of the second 25, giving him the average of 43-50.

It has been decided in the future to change the afternoon of the shoot to Wednesday in order that there may be no conflicts with the baseball game, all Wilmington's games being scheduled the last half of the week.

Week end dance at Lumina to night. **

MR. EMPIE IS NOMINATED

State Senatorial Convention Held Yesterday at Noon—Action of New Hanover Primaries Ratified Without Protest.

The State Senatorial Convention for the district composed of the counties of New Hanover and Brunswick was held in the Court House in this city at noon yesterday, and recognizing the agreement of long standing by which the counties alternate in the selection of a candidate, Brooke G. Empie, Esq., of New Hanover, was unanimously declared the nominee, he being the choice of New Hanover according to the recent expression in the Democratic primaries here.

There were only seven delegates in attendance upon the convention, these being Messrs. T. E. Sprunt, J. R. Turrentine, L. J. Merriman, J. O. Reilly and Louis T. Moore, of New Hanover, and Messrs. J. Dillard Bellamy and J. E. Douglass, of Brunswick. The delegates were under the mistaken idea that the chairman of either the Brunswick or New Hanover Democratic Executive Committee should be present to call the convention to order, but their duty is merely to make a joint call for the meeting and after this became known to the delegates, they organized by electing Mr. T. E. Sprunt chairman and Mr. Louis T. Moore secretary. Mr. J. R. Turrentine then in a neat address, paying tribute to the one he named, placed in nomination Brooke G. Empie, Esq., for State Senator. The motion was duly seconded and unanimously carried after which the convention adjourned sine die.

THE SOUTHPORT RAILROAD

Condemnation Proceedings This Week For Terminal Facilities.

This week's Southport Herald has the following which will be read with local interest:

"The Commission appointed by Clerk of Court R. S. Newton, composed of Messrs. L. S. Fefel, J. J. Loughlin, and Richard Dosher to appraise the value of lands above Southport, owned by the Southport Land Company, and the Wilmington, Southport and Durham Railroad Company condemnation proceedings for which were instituted by the Southport Atlantic Terminal Railroad Company, of Philadelphia yesterday placed a value of $75,000 on the property. An appeal from this decision was taken by the attorneys of the defendant companies, Messrs. W. A. Guthrie of Durham, and Thos. W. Davis, of Wilmington, Herbert McClammy representing the plaintiff.

"It is said that the Southport Atlantic Terminal Railroad Company, of which Mr. C. N. Wire, of Philadelphia, is the promoter would, if the appraised value of the property was satisfactory, begin work at once on their terminals at Southport. It is known that the two companies owning the property at present have been offered $75,000 by Mr. Wire a short time ago, so it is persumed the price set by the commission will be satisfactory, and that the S. A. T. Railroad Company will begin work in the near future."

SUDDEN DEATH AT COUNCIL'S

Mrs. Lula Sanderlin, of Clarkton, Died After Brief Illness.

News was received in Wilmington yesterday of the death of Mrs. Lula Sanderlin, which occurred suddenly yesterday morning at Council's, after a very short illness. The particulars of her death could not be ascertained, but from what is learned, Mrs. Sanderlin was at Council's with a marooning party from her town. Soon after their arrival Mrs. Sanderlin was taken slightly sick and continued to grow worse, her illness being such that it was impossible to carry her back home. Her death was sudden and unexpected and created the deepest sadness among relatives and friends, particularly those in the marooning party.

Mr. James F. Woolvin, the funeral director, was notified of the death and sent a casket to Council's yesterday and the remains were prepared for burial. Accompanied by those who were with her when the end came, the remains will be sent to the home this morning, where the interment will be this afternoon.

Brought Suit for Damages.

In Justice Furlong's court yesterday suit was brought by Mr. Robert H. Cowan against Mr. W. S. Layton, of the Jamestown Amusement Co., which is puting on the "Fire and Flame" exhibition at foot of Market street, alleging speculative damages of $150 on a breach of contract. It is set out that the plaintiff made a contract with Mr. Layton to put on the exhibition of "The Monitor and Merrimac" under canvas on Second street during the Firemen's Tournament and that the defendant failed to comply with his agreement and that by reason of such failure the plaintiff is entitled to at least $150 damages. The case will be heard today.

To Play at Southport.

"Albertus, the Handcuff King" and company of vaudeville people, who are playing this week at the Crystal Palace, will go to Southport next week for a week's engagement in the pavilion there. The event is being advertised in the Southport Herald of this week.

GAME IS PROTESTED

Wilson and Umpire Smith Gave Wilmington Sailors Shut-Out at League Park.

SCORE TWO TO NOTHING

Captain Put Out of Game For Kicking Slugging Match at Kinston and Goldsboro Wins From Newbern in Poor Exhibition.

Results Yesterday.

Wilmington 0, Wilson 2.
Kinston 10, Raleigh 5.
Newbern 3, Goldsboro 9.

Games Today.

Raleigh at Kinston.
Wilson at Wilmington.
Goldsboro at Newbern.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	8	1	.888
Goldsboro	5	4	.555
Wilmington	5	5	.500
Raleigh	4	6	.400
Kinston	4	5	.444
Newbern	2	8	.200

The presentation of several rich, round, yellow, juicy lemons by "Empire" Smith in rank decisions at first and second and elsewhere; four costly errors with men on bases; inability to hit Mayberry, the opposing slab artist, after Third Baseman Smith had been put on the bench for exercising his constitutional right of registering a protest as captain of his team, was responsible for the defeat of the Wilmington Sailors by Wilson at the new League Park in the second game of the series with the Tobacconists yesterday afternoon; score two to nothing.

The game was immediately protested to the League officials from the bench by Manager Gwaltney before a run was made and the Board of Directors of the League will later have an opportunity of passing upon the merits of the case. The game opened with Wilmington apparently an easy winner and three innings of quick snappy ball had been played when Wilson came up for the first half of the fourth and Guerrant popped out. Moore made a little infield hit and was called safe at first on a very close decision to say the least of it; then Moore stole second as Wilmington through Captain Smith was protesting against the decision at first. The ball was thrown to second by Smith and Carneal touched the runner but the Umpire failed to see the play or his orbs were twisted and Moore was called safe. Captain Smith protested, was fined $5, then $10 and then $15 and then put of the game, the "Empire" calling upon Deputy Sheriff Piver, who stood near to remove the protesting player. The game had to be called for a few minutes while spectators filled the grounds. Umpire Smith was persistent and Manager Gwaltney could do nothing with him, further than to walk over to the telegraph instrument and file his protest with Secretary Gattis in Raleigh. Rath took third base and Abernathy went to short; Mills flew out to Jayes in deep centre and Moore got third on the play. Turner was safe on Abernathy's fumble and Moore galloped home. Miller was out pitcher to first.

Wilmington missed two fine chances to score both in the fifth and sixth innings. In the fifth Doak led off with a two-base hit to left; Rath hit to pitcher and on error Doak was safe on third; Rath stole second; Hoey flew out to centre and Rath was caught off second. A phenomenal one-hand catch by Wilson's second baseman cut off Doak's run. In the sixth inning Webster was out and Jayes next up drew a pass; Flynn was hit by a pitched ball; Kite hit safely over second and under less tragic circumstances, Captain Smith would have been good for a hit But thanks to the "Empire," with the bases full, the best that Abernathy could do was to fan and Doak was excusable for doing the same. Kite assumed the captaincy of the team after Smith was retired, but the team was demoralized, of course, and could make no headway against the odds they were playing.

In the seventh Wilson secured the one more lonesome run. Turner hit through second; Miller was out pitcher to first and Holt was safe on Abernathy's error; Peliquan flew out to right and there was another change of the Wilmington players; Hill was safe on Carneal's error, while Turner scored. Holt was caught at the home plate upon a beautiful throw by Doak to Kite. Here is the story of the game:

The Game In Detail.

First Inning—Guerrant out by catcher on slow hit in front of plate; Moore hit by pitched ball but out a minute later, stealing second, on a pretty throw by Kite. Mills out to first, unassisted. Wilmington; Jayes fanned; Flynn hit to right field; Kite sacrificed, out second to first; Flynn takes second on the play; Smith out pitcher to first.

Second Inning—Turner safe on error third base; Miller fanned; Turner stole second and on bad throw

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CANDIDATE SHERMAN.

James Schoolcraft Sherman, the man whom the Republicans yesterday nominated as their candidate for Vice President, is a resident and a native of Utica, N. Y., born there in October 1855, hence he is in his fifty-third year. He received an academic and collegiate education, graduating from Hamilton College in 1878, studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1880. He has continued the practice of the law ever since and is also president of the Utica Trust and Deposit Company. He has been mayor of Utica, was a delegate to the national convention in 1902, chairman of the State convention in 1895 and again in 1900, was chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee in 1906. He was elected to the Fiftieth Congress and has been re-elected to each of the ten succeeding congresses. His standing in the House of Representatives is shown by the fact that he is one of the two Republican members whom Speaker Cannon appointed with himself on the Committee on Rules. In the election for the present congress he was opposed by three other candidates and was elected by a majority of nearly four thousand votes.

NO APPALACHIAN PARK.

"The Republican platform has the effrontery to declare that party in favor of the Appalachian Forest Reserve, though it knows Cannon killed it. If it really favored it, the reservation would now be established, for the Republican party has been in full control of the government since 1897." —News and Observer.

Isn't the News and Observer a little previous in the above announcement? Our understanding of the terms of the platform as adopted is that it struck out of the plank in the original draft favoring conservation of the natural resources of the country all specific mention of the White Mountain and Appalachian Mountain Parks. The Roosevelt-Taft draft of the platform contained a declaration in its favor, but it was stricken out by the Resolutions Committee. So it seems that the Republican party goes on record as opposed to the White and Appalachian Mountain reservations. The fact that the party in convention has taken such a position, negative as it is, is pretty positive evidence that the friends of the movement need look for no favorable action from the present Congress or from any other so long as it is controlled by the Republican party.

DOCTOR WADE H. HARRIS.

We notice the Charlotte Observer speaks of our good friend Wade H. Harris, editor of its evening neighbor, as Dr. Harris. We judge from the Observer's remarks that the Chronicle editor has had the degree of Doctor of Agriculture conferred upon him. The fact that this honor had been conferred upon him had escaped our attention. We have continued to refer to him as plain Mister Harris. We beg his pardon for the oversight and hasten on the first information of his new honors to assure him that the apparent discourtesy was not intentional, but was the result of our neglect in keeping up with the degree conferring proceedings of the great educational institutions of the country usual at commencement times. We are sorry the Observer did not state what university it was which conferred the degree, and we hope it will give out this information at once, as we know Dr. Harris is too bashful to make such a self-laudatory publication in his own paper.

THE COLOR OF LIGHTNING.

A man over in England who has had little or nothing to do has spent a great deal of his time in the last few years making record of the color of lightning. He has a good many records as to color, but he has not yet discovered which color kills the quickest or causes the least painful consequences to the person struck, but not unto death. An exchange gives this account of the result of the investigation:

"For five years a tabulated record of the colors of lightning has been kept at Epsom, England, by Spencer C. Russell, and he has made 57 observations of forked lightning in thunder storms, and 78 observations of sheet lightning. Great diversity in color has been shown. Red has been commonest in forked lightning, with blue closely following and orange and green least frequent, and white is seen oftenest in sheet lightning, red and yellow coming next. Hail, usually comes in a thunder storm with blue lightning."

"A friend who was raised in the upper part of the State came in the office Monday and while speaking of good roads said that if our people could visit Forsythe, Guilford or Mecklenburg counties and see the good roads there that every one of us would return home strong advocates of good roads."—Kenansville News.

It is not necessary for the people of Duplin to go so far from home to see good roads and to learn of what benefit they are to the farmers. They can learn all this by a much shorter trip down to New Hanover and inspection of our macadamized roads.

A Wadesboro police officer shoots a negro who resists arrest and attacks the former. The peculiarity about the affair is that with one shot the officer wounded the negro in the thigh and in the bottom of the foot. The Wadesboro paper giving an account of the affair failed to state what was the shape of the barrel of the pistol with which the shooting was done.

The tremendous vote Congressman Sherman received on the nomination for Vice Presidential candidate shows how quick the Republicans can get together after a party row. He was Taft's man, and as such he got more votes than did the former on Presidential candidate.

That was good politics on the part of the warring Republican factions that, after they found they could not defeat Mr. Taft's nomination, they should name as Vice Presidential candidate the man of Mr. Taft's choice. Now there is no danger of discord in the campaign.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Governor Crothers, of Maryland, believes the automobile owners should pay a special road tax owing to the fact that automobiles damage so greatly the roads over which they pass. As what they would pay could be used in building more road suitable to automobile use, such a proposition would probably not be objectionable to automobile owners generally.—Greensboro Telegram.

—President Roosevelt is a firm believer in the doctrine that "he that bloweth not his own horn, verily the same shall not be blown." The platform that he ordered adopted contained this self-laudation: "The highest aspirations of the American people have found a voice. Their most exalted servant has come to represent not political sovereignty alone, but the best aims and worthiest purposes of all his countrymen."—News and Observer.

—The Record is pleased to be found in such distinguished company as Governor Glenn on the legalized primary question. This is one of the important questions to claim the attention of the people of North Carolina at an early date and should be weighed by them. This paper has already voted on the issue in the abstract but realizes that there are a great many details to be thrashed out before a proper law can be framed.—Rock Mount Record.

—In a recent address in North Carolina, Walter H. Page, of The World's Work, declared that the hope of the South lay in the scientific comprehension of itself. This is a very large contract, but it covers the field and is the only thing that does it. The South is a territory of some fifteen States, many portions of which have little knowledge of direct relation with other portions. But many of its parts are coming to know themselves and their relations to their opportunities. The South knows its history, but has done comparatively little to arrive at a thorough-going understanding of what it has and what it had better do with its resources. Meanwhile it is learning rapidly and growing richer by virtue of the things that it is doing well and is learning to do better year after year.—Wall Street Journal.

—The throat ailment from which Senator Bailey is now believed to be recovering came as a natural consequence of the physical hardships attending his late successful campaign of Texas against the factional enemies seeking his overthrow. Some days he spoke seven or eight hours in the open air and occupied most of the remainder of the time travelling between appointments. Everywhere he held himself accessible to friends and callers, who pressed upon him night and day. It is said that he hardly ever got more than a few hours' sleep. Only a remarkable physique, held to the task by a remarkable will, could have sustained such immense and long-continued strain. Mr. Bryan or Mr. Roosevelt, each of whom has a political existence mainly built of physical qualities, would have been taxed to the utmost. The winning fight for popular vindication was also a tremendous one. It is much to be hoped that Mr. Bailey's voice, a necessarily important part of his magnificent equipment as an orator, will escape quite without injury.—Charlotte Observer.

—The Arachide—Do you know what it is? It is the polite name for the plebian peanut, the price of which has never varied from "five a pint" since the first vine was pulled up and shaken free of its fruit. We had thought that the Southern States grew arachides for this country and to spare, but not so. In addition to our own crop, the United States last year consumed $2,967 worth of peanuts imported from Africa. Further, this country last year imported from Marseilles $17,006 worth of peanut oil. It is the development of the peanut oil industry that is squeezing the roast peanut market. In a report to the Department of Commerce and Labor, Counsul Skinner, writing from Marseilles, the great centre of the peanut oil industry, says the probabilities are that with a little scientific attention, it would be quite easy to develop an American peanut yielding well in oil and possessing the excellent taste of the present types. A nut must be developed that will give 32 to 33 per cent. of its weight in oil. It is true that African peanuts yield a very high grade oil, but not equal to pure olive oil (which remains and probably will remain, the highest priced and most perfect of all salad oils). However, peanut oil is a very acceptable substitute for olive oil, and susceptible of being sold on its own merits as a superior article.—Charlotte Observer.

TWINKLINGS.

—"I fear I am going to lose my complexion." "You were born lucky." —Houston Post.

—Knicker—It is feared that in future years our rainfall may diminish. Bocker—All they will have to do is to have more picnics.—New York Sun.

—Mrs. Henpeck—I suppose if I were to die tomorrow you'd marry some other woman immediately. Mr. Henpeck—Not right away. I'd take a little rest first.—Brooklyn Eagle.

—He—"I like the English method of spelling best." She—"And why, pray?" He—"Well, take 'parlour' for example; having 'u' in it makes all the difference in the world."—Chicago News.

—"Have you not sold enough poems this week to paper our parlor, dear?" asked the poet's wife. "No, dear." was the reply, "but I've had enough manuscripts returned to do it easily enough."—Yonkers Statesman.

—Eva (reading novel)—"She rivited her eyes." Dick—You don't say? Eva—"And then she dropped them—" Dick—My! My! Just like a woman. She can never nail or rivet anything securely.—Chicago News.

—First Hospital Doctor—"That patient who was brought in last night was in evening clothes." Second Hospital Doctor—"Yes, it isn't often that we get a dress suit case."—Philadelphia Record.

—"I've got a great deal of pleasure from anticipating the trip." "More, possibly, than you'll get from the trip itself." "That is what I think. So I've decided to stay home and save the money."—Kansas City Journal.

—"But you can't expect this play to make a hit," protested the manager. "Why not?" asked the ambitious young dramatist. "Don't you think it has enough situations?" "Oh, yes; the story is one that might be discussed in anybody's parlor."—Chicago Record-Herald.

—Mr. Dubley—How awfully mannish she is. Miss Smart—She is, indeed. Mr. Dubley—Yes, and the funny part of it is she thinks people admire her for being that way. It's queer she doesn't realize that people are only laughing at her. Miss Smart —Well, she is mannish even to that extent.—Philadelphia Press.

—Asheville Citizen: Clyde Pinner, a lad 9 years of age, son of Mr. J. D. Pinner a resident of West Asheville, died this morning at 10 o'clock from the effects of hydrophobia. The child died in great agony, although conscious to the last. Just before death ensued the child insisted that his dog be slain, saying he knew he was dying but he wanted to make sure that his dog would never bite a person and probably cause such a death. Relatives of the child killed the dog just a few minutes before the child passed away. The little fellow was bitten by a dog eight weeks ago. He, with several playmates, were in a cow pasture when a dog came up and snapped at one of the children. Cylde Pinner went to the rescue and in attempting to drive the dog away was bitten through the side of the face. Clyde Pinner showed no ill effect of the bite until Friday, when he complained that his face hurt. It was at first thought that perhaps the boy's pain was due to a tooth. The child continued to grow worse, however, and Saturday the attending physicians pronounced the child suffering with hydrophobia. The little fellow continued to call for water and every time he was handed a drink he went into spasms. His suffering was terrible. Asheville's dog ordinance will go into effect Saturday and it is the purpose of the authorities to enforce it rigidly.

GOOD NEWS

Many Wilmington Readers Have Heard It and Profited Thereby.

"Good news travers fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Wilmington are glad to learn that prompt relief is within their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is bad no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

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Full size Sheets,.....33c	25c Embroidery, yard.10c
Pillow Cases, full size, this week.....10c	Ladies' Gauze Vests...5c
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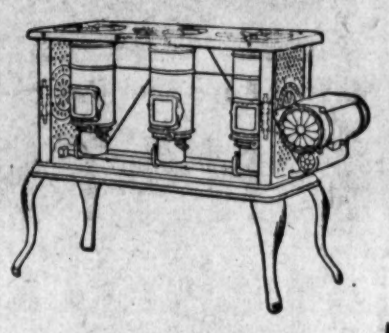

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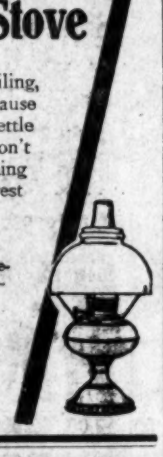

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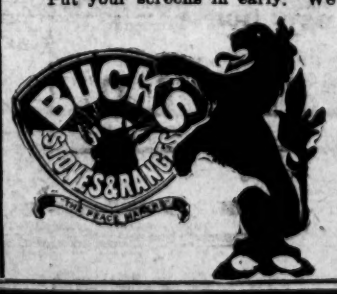

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Advertising Makes Business Hum

My Amateur Detective Work.

[Original.]

Some of the states are passing laws making the punishment for kidnaping the next thing to and in some cases equal to murder. This is right, though crime does not seem to be prevented by the rigor of the punishment attached. But no punishment can equal the sufferings of a parent at the kidnaping of a child. The night we missed our Harry and knew that he had been kidnaped was the terror of my life. I have been shipwrecked, I have seen those I have loved die, I lay all night severely wounded on a battlefield, but none of these has approached my sufferings at knowing my child was in the hands of men who would murder him if it became their interest to do so.

With the letter that came to me demanding a ransom, after the shock that the threats in it occasioned, I found occupation and in occupation some relief. I resolved to conduct the case myself, permitting the police to work independently. The public, naturally interested, must know what is being done to recover a kidnaped child, and the news given out, being published in the papers, keeps the kidnapers well informed of their enemy's movements. I therefore sent inquirers to the police for information and kept my own counsel. The letter I answered myself, assured the writer he could deal with me directly more safely than with any one else and proceeded to negotiate with him for my boy's return.

I received several letters one after another in tolerably quick succession. They were dirty things, written by an illiterate person. The third one I received was contained in an envelope that had had no mucilage on the envelope, and it had been sealed by pasting. The sealer had made a mussy job of it, getting the paste smudged on the envelope, and had pressed down the flap with his thumb, leaving a faint imprint. Added to this, a hair had got in under the flap and was held there by the paste.

I handled the envelope very gingerly to preserve the thumb imprint and softened the paste about the hair till I was enabled to extract it entire. If the writer of the letter could be captured, the thumb mark or the hair, or both, would serve to identify him. I treasured them, but said nothing about them to any one.

We had settled on the amount I was to pay for my boy's liberty, but neither the kidnaper nor I was able to suggest a method of payment satisfactory to him. I was obliged to wait while he thought out a plan for a transfer of the funds. Meanwhile I was at work. I bought the best microscope I could find and examined the hair. It was a red hair and had been dyed, having grown a sixteenth of an inch since the dyeing. I had been warned in the letters I had received that if any attempt was made to track any one calling at the postoffice for mail the boy would be killed. But now, having evidence to identify the kidnaper, I desired to locate his whereabouts. I therefore hired a man to take position at the postoffice and shadow any one calling for my letters. He tracked a girl about twelve years old to an alley, where she disappeared. On two other occasions he tracked the same girl to the same alley, but some means had been invented to conceal her entrance to any building.

I now hired a detective to go into that alley and look out for a man with a dyed beard. He went in there as a Jew peddler of the lowest order. While he was at work the kidnaper settled upon a plan by which I might pay the ransom. I was to drive to a certain road on a certain night and at a certain crossing would see a red lantern, a signal protecting a hole in the road. I was to leave the money in a cigar box I would find beneath the lantern. If I did this my boy would be left on the street where he could find his way home.

On the very day I received this letter my detective came to tell me that he had found a man with a dyed mustache occupying a room he rented by the week. The detective had tried to get into the room and had failed—indeed, he could not get near it, being ordered away on the story below it. His information he had got from the janitor of the building.

All now depended upon whether my detective had spotted the right man. He said he had scrutinized every person living in the alley, which was but two blocks long, and had been a good while finding even one man with dyed hair, so he felt very confident. At any rate I decided to appeal to the police to arrest the man. A number of plain clothes men under guidance of my detective went to the building he designated and ascended to the room occupied by the suspected man. The first policeman was stopped on the floor below by a watcher, but the other policemen coming up forced their way. Kicking open the door of the room they sought, there was my dear little boy asleep on a crib mattress on the floor, a man being in the room with him. This man had dyed his hair and mustache a blue black easily distinguishable. Both men were taken to the police office and their thumb imprint taken. The thumb mark of the man with dyed hair corresponded with the mark on the letter sent me.

The keenest pleasure is relief from pain. As no one can know what I suffered from my misfortune, no one can know the joy of getting my child back safe. TURNER C. HOYLE.

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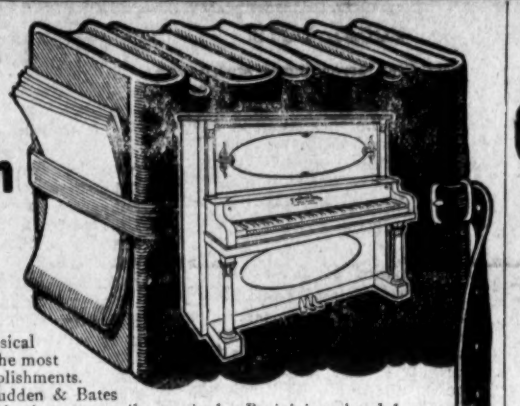

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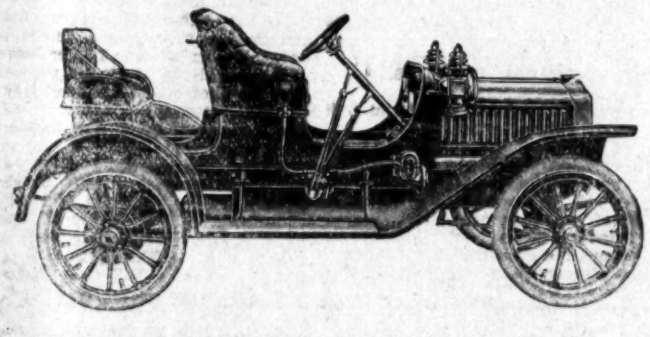

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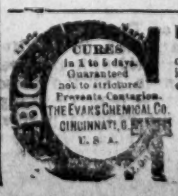

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The Morning Star.

Saturday, June 20, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., June 20, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Friday, June 19th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 78 degrees; 8 P. M. 77 degrees; maximum 83 degrees; minimum 68 degrees; mean 77 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month 2.79.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Friday at 8 A. M. 5.7 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; light south winds.

Port Calendar—June 20.

Sun Rises.....4:42 A. M.
Sun Sets .....7:19 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 36 min.
High water at Southport 1:11 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 3:41 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. M. Lee, of Watha, was in the city yesterday on a short visit.

—Mr. J. W. S. Robinson, of Sampson county, spent yesterday in Wilmington.

—Miss Lizzie Thompson, of Southport, is visiting friends in Wilmington for a few days.

—Miss Ethel Dixon, of Prudence, W. Va., is visiting Miss Mary Hayden at Winter Park Gardens.

—Messrs. J. E. Register and F. N. Evans, of Fayetteville, were in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Mr. F. L. Ford, of Whiteville, has been in the city for a few days attending the Firemen's Tournament.

—Miss Sallie Hines, of Faison, and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Heinsberger, of Charleston, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Heinsberger.

—Misses Jessie and Faith Covington, of Rockinghom, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Covington.

—Mr. T. Frank Simmons, of Faison, has been brought to the James Walker Memorial Hospital here. He has been quite ill for some time.

—Mr. Howard C. Curtis of Southport, was in the city yesterday to attend the Senatorial Convention, being chairman of the Executive Committee from Brunswick.

—The many friends of Mr. Robert C. Platt, of the firm of Platt & Haar, will be pleased to learn of a decided improvement in his condition, since leaving for the western part of the State.

—Mr. C. N. Evans, cashier of the Southern National Bank, who has been attending the annual session of the North Carolina Bankers' Association at Morehead this week, returned home yesterday evening.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams will learn with interest of their return from a bridal tour to Canada, Niagara Falls and other Northern points. For the present they will reside at the Carolina Apartment House.

—The many friends of Police Captain George Smith were glad to see him able to be on duty last night after having been confined to his home for several days. Sergeant Woolard was acting captain during his absence.

—Miss Nell Johnston was called to Warsaw, N. C., yesterday evening upon advices that her little niece, Maggie Bowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowden, of this city, is quite critically ill with typhoid fever. The family is spending the Summer at Warsaw and hundreds of friends here hope that the little sufferer will soon be restored to health.

BETTER HANDLE THE CROWDS

Tidewater Power Company to Have Gates and Enclosures at Park.

In order to more expeditiously and safely handle the large crowds to and from the baseball park the Tidewater Power Company will begin next week the installation of gates and enclosures like those in use at the Lumina station on Wrightsville Beach. In this way there will be no pushing and crowding and passengers will know exactly where to go and what to do when a car rolls up or is about to depart. This arrangements will be most satisfactory to all who attend the game and will certainly minimize the possibility of accidents and result in more convenience and comfort for the public.

Wilmington is extending fine patronage to the baseball club; in fact the daily attendance here is more than double that of any two other towns in the League and it is hoped that the Tidewater Power Company will improve its service to the park so that there will be no diminution of this support of the great National game.

Hit by Street Car.

Mr. Chas. D. Myers, the popular manager of the Eureka Pressing Club was struck and quite painfull injured by a suburban car on Princess street near Front, yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock. In the general congestion of cars on the three tracks there, Mr. Myers unwittingly stepped in front of a moving car and was knocked down, receiving a number of bruises and a severe sprain of the back. He was given attention by a physician and was suffering no very serious consequences of his experience last night.

Plenty of Trouble.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The Star erroneously stated yesterday in the account of the arrest of J. B. Coleman, an alleged escaped convict, that he was taken in custody by Officer I. F. Huggins. It should have been Policeman M. C. Huggins, who will receive the standing reward.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements of Wilmington Pastors for Pulpits Tomorrow.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor: Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., tomorrow, Sunday School at 10 A. M. Midweek service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor: Services tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 6 P. M. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:15 P. M. Seats free; all are welcome.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor: Sabbath services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath School at 4:00 P. M. W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday 8:15 P. M. The session will meet at 10:45 A. M., followed by the communion at the morning service. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

SPECIAL TWO WEEKS' TERM.

Begins Next Monday to Try Criminal Cases—132 on Docket.

The special term of New Hanover court granted by the Governor to dispose of the large criminal docket, begins Monday morning with Judge Peebles presiding. On the docket at present are 132 cases, and among this number ten defendants are held on capital charges. The congested condition of the docket made it very necessary to hold a special session, many of the cases having been pending for over a year. The capital cases are as follows: Mary McDaniel, arson; Tim Clements, Tom Wells, Robert Bolden, criminal assault; Robert Eagleton, Sam Clover, Will Richardson, Isaiah Richardson, E. T. Cook, Jesse Riggins, Furman Lee and Charley Hall, murder. Higgins, Bryant and Cook are indicted in one case.

CARNIVAL COUPLES.

Two Have Obtained Licenses and Will Marry Sunday.

Two couples, both members of the Johnny Jones Carnival Company, which has held forth this week on the corner of 13th and Market streets, obtained marriage certificates yesterday morning from Register of Deeds Haar and the ceremonies will be performed tomorrow in Wilmington. The parties are Mr. William E. Honneus, of Boston, Mass., and Miss Nannie M. Washington, of Punta Gorda, Fla., and Mr. Roy S. English ,of Hendersonville, N. C., and Miss Frances L. Lambert, of Boston, Mass.

Performer Slightly Injured.

While taking part in the production of "Fighting the Flames" on Market street last night, Miss Layton, daughter of one of the proprietors of the exhibition, in being brought down from the third floor of the building in the rescue act, was slightly injured. The accident was noticed by only a few and she is by no means seriously injured, but very much exaggerated reports soon became current. She will no doubt be able to take her part as usual in the scene tonight.

Salest of American National Stock.

Wilmington's newest and one of the city's most progressive banking institutions, the American National Bank, is to be congratulated upon the sale of a considerable block of its stock yesterday at 101 1-2. The bank has been in business only a few weeks and that its stock is already commanding this premium is a source of congratulation for President W. B. Cooper, Cashier Thos. E. Cooper and the other popular officials of the bank.

Attended Medical Convention.

A good delegation of Wilmington physicians attended the annual convention of the North Carolina Medical Society, which has been in session in Winston-Salem during the past week and several of the number read papers on medical topics. The delegates returned home yesterday and are as follows: Drs. G. G. Thomas, C. H. Lavinder, Jos. Akerman, Thos. M. Green, J. B. Cranmer, E. J. Wood and C. T Harper.

Immanuel Sunday School Excursion.

The Sunday School of Immanuel Presbyterian Church, will have its annual picnic on Tuesday, of next week at Carolina Beach. The steamer Wilmington will leave the wharf at foot of Market street at 9 A. M., and all the members of the Sunday School are expected to be present. All the friends of Immanuel and of the children are invited, and may enjoy a delightful outing at the regular excursion rates.

Excursion Next Week.

A delightful excursion will be run by Circle No. 2, of Fifth Street Methodist Church, to Carolina Beach next Friday, June 26th. Arrangements will be made to give those who go a pleasant trip and a good crowd is expected. The steamer Wilmington will convey the excursionists to the beach, leaving the city at 9 o'clock in the morning and 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Death Was On His Heels.

Jesse P. Morris, of Skippers, Va., had a close call in the spring of 1906. He says: "An attack of pneumonia left me so weak and with such a fearful cough that my friends declared consumption had me, and death was on my heels. Then I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It helped me immediately, and after taking two and a half bottles I was a well man again. I found out that New Discovery is the best remedy for cough and lung disease in all the world." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

GAME IS PROTESTED

(Continued from first page.)

by Kite, goes to third; Holt safe on fielders choice and Turner is out at home, on throw from Rath to Kite; Holt out on attempted steal of second base, Kite to Rath. Wilmington; Doak out third to first; Rath strikes out; Hoey fanned.

Third Inning—Pelaquin strikes out; Hill drew a pass; Mayberry hit safely to right and on beautiful line throw Doak to Smith at third, Hill is out; Mayberry caught napping and is out, Kite to Hoey on beautiful throw to Kite. Wilmington: Carneal flies out to short; Webster out, pitcher to first, Jayes fanned.

Fourth Inning—Guerrant pops out Kite; Moore safe on infield hit, close decision on throw from Carneal to Hoey; Moore steals second: Wilmington kicks on first base decision; ball thrown to second by Smith and Carneal touched runner; umpire did not see play and persisted in declaring Moore safe at second; Smith put out of game; Rath takes third and Abernathy short; Mills flies out to Jayes in deep centre and Moore gets third on play; Turner safe on first on Abernathy's fumble and Moore scores; Miller out pitcher to first. Wilmington; Flynn out pitcher to first; Kite fanned; Abernathy fanned.

Fifth Inning—Holt and Pelaquin out third to first; Hill fanned. Wilmington: Doak hit for two bases to left field; Rath hit to pitcher and on error of judgment Doak was safe on third; Rath stole second; Hoey flew out to centre and Rath was caught off second; Carneal flew out on beautiful one-hand catch by second.

Sixth Inning—Mayberry hit safely over first; Guerrant sacrificed; Moore hit by pitched ball; Mills flew out to Hoey who made a beautiful throw to Rath on third, catching Mayberry. Wilmington: Webster out pitcher to first; Jayes walked; Flynn hit by pitched ball; Kite hit safely over second; Abernathy fanned; Doak fanned.

Seventh Inning—Turner hit through second; Miller out pitcher to first; Holt safe on error of Abernathy and Turner got second; Peliquan flew out to right; (Abernathy takes second and Carneal short stop); Hill safe on Carneal's error and Turner scored; Mayberry hit to right and on beautiful throw home by Doak Holt was out at home plate: Wilmington: Rath out second to first; Hoey flew to second; Carneal fanned.

Eighth Inning—Jayes goes from centre to third; Rath goes to short; Carneal back to second and Blanke to centre. Guerrant popped out to right; Moore out second to first; Mills out to first. Wilmington: Webster safe on error of Hill and Abernathy runs for him; Jayes hit by pitched ball; Flynn flew out to third; Kite up and Abernathy out trying to steal second; Kite drew a pass; McDonnell batting for Blanke hit to short and on fielder's choice, Kite was out at second.

Ninth Inning—McDonnell goes in right field and Doak takes centre. Turner walked; Miller up and Turner got second on passed ball; Miller flew out to short; Holt out short to first; Peliquan fanned. Wilmington: Doak flew out to second; Rath out on a beautiful running catch to right; Hoey flew out to short.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilmington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Jayes, cf, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Flynn, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Kite, c	2	0	1	8	3	2
Smith, 3b	1	0	0	1	0	1
Abernathy, ss 2b	2	0	0	0	0	2
Blanke, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
McDonnell, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Doak, rf, cf	4	0	1	2	2	0
Rath, ss, 3b	4	0	0	3	4	0
Hoey, 1b	4	0	0	10	1	0
Carneal, 2b, ss	3	0	0	2	0	1
Webster, p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Total	29	0	3	27	13	6

Wilson.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Guerrant, 3b	3	0	0	2	1	0
Moore, cf	2	1	1	1	1	0
Mills, 1b	4	0	0	7	0	0
Turner, 2b	3	1	1	4	2	0
Miller, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Holt, c	3	0	0	9	1	0
Pelaquin, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hill, ss	2	0	0	3	1	1
Mayberry, p	3	0	3	0	5	0
Total	27	2	5	27	11	1

Score By Innings.

Wilmington ....000 000 000—0 3 6
Wilson .....000 100 100—2 5 1

Batteries: Webster and Kite; Mayberry and Holt.

Summary—Two base hits, Doak; bases on balls, Mayberry 5; by Webster 1. Umpire, Mr. Smith. Time 2:10. Attendance 1,200.

Rank Decisions.

The crowd was not quite so large as on Thursday, but it was "a plenty."

Now for the "rubber." Everybody will want to see that.

Our Sailor Boys were beaten, but not dismayed. They'll sail into port with flying colors today.

When Greek meets Greek then comes the tug of war. We'll know who's who this afternoon.

Dumb Playing at Newbern.

Newbern, N. C., June 19.—The Newberns are evidently content to stay at the bottom of the list. They lost the seventh consecutive game today by the most dumb exhibition of the great National sport ever witnessed. Following is the score:

Goldsboro .....050 003 100—9 10 3
Newbern .....110 000 010—2 6 6

Batteries—Warwick, Borden and Adams. Winstead and Sullivan.

A Cinch For Kinston.

Kinston, N. C., June 19.—Today's game was slow and uninteresting. At one time excitement was aroused in Raleigh's lucky seventh, when it began to look like a tied score but it was soon a Kinston cinch. The feature of the game was a timely home run in the first inning by C. Fox. The score:

Kinston .....321 000 40x—10 10 7
Raleigh .....000 003 200— 5 4 5

Batteries: Lyon and Young and Brooks; Lee and McKnight and Wrenn. Struck out, by Lyon 3, by McKnight, 4; bases on balls, off Lyon 4; off Lee 1; off McKnight 2; two-base hits, Sullivan and C. Fox; home run C. Fox; time 2 hours. Umpire Van Arnam. Attendance 500.

Negro Intent Upon Evil.

In the police court yesterday Geo. Robinson, a negro, was charged with disorderly conduct and fined $5 and costs. Late Thursday night as Conductor R. S. Haddock of the Tidewater Power Co., was on his way home he saw the negro loitering about the residence of Mr. A. S. Holden, on Sixth street; in fact Mr. Haddock thought he saw the negro attempting to pull open a shutter on one of the windows. He accosted the negro and placed him under arrest. The negro was vicious and fought the conductor like a tiger, at one time attempting to draw a bottle from his pocket and brain Mr. Haddock. He was finally overpowered and locked up at the police station. All but an attempted case of robbery was proved on the negro.

THE GERMANS PLEASED.

At the News of the Nomination of Mr. Taft as Presidential Candidate.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Berlin, June 19.—The nomination of Secretary of War, William H. Taft for the presidency is published in brief form in the Berlin papers this morning. The news came too late, however ,for editorial comment. Emperor William has been fully informed through the German embassy at Washington of Mr. Taft's personality and the likelihood of h's nomination.

The news was commented on pleasantly in official quarters this morning. From the German point of view Secretary Taft is regarded as a suitable statesman to carry out the construction of the Panama canal, the Philippine, naval, far Eastern trade and the other foreign policies of the present administration. International controversies are less known and get less attention in Germany.

CHANGES IN STANDARD OIL

Mr. Flagler Retires From Vice Presidency—New Officers Elected.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 19.—At a meeting of the officials of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, W. H. Tilford, treasurer, was elected to succeed Henry M. Flagler, vice president, resigned; C. M. Pratt, secretary was made treasurer to fill the vacancy made by Tilford's promotion; Walter Jennings, a director, was made secretary, and Henry C. Folger, Jr., prominently identified with the Tidewater Oil Company, was made a member of the board of directors to succeed Frank Q. Barstow, resigned.

Mr. Flagler's resignation was due to advanced years and his desire to devote more of his time to personal affairs.

Continued illness is given as the reason for Mr. Bartow's resignation.

HESTER'S COTTON REPORT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Orleans, June 19.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 2,828,971, against 2,972,067 last week and 3,761,457 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 1,823,925 against 1,913,021 last week and 2,416,457 last year, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc. 1,055,016 against 1,060,046 last week and 1,345,000 last year. Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 1,*99,000 against 2,307,000 last year; in Egypt 133,000 against 89,000 last year; in India 526,000 against 781,000 last year and in the United States 471,000 against 584,000 last year.

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REPUBLICANS ORGANIZE

National Committee Elects Temporary Chairman—Taft to Be Consulted as to Campaign Manager. Hitchcock Not a Candidate.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Chicago June 19.—The new Republican National Committee organized today by the election of Powell Clayton, of Arkansas, veteran member of the committee, as temporary chairman, to serve until a permanent chairman shall have been selected. Elmer Dove was re-elected secretary and W. F. Stone sergeant-at-arms. A committee was named to consider the appointment of sub-committees to go to Cincinnati to confer with Secretary Taft regarding the selection of a permanent chairman to manage his campaign. Over 200 persons, mostly delegates, crowded the assembly room, caucusing in small groups and discussing the result of the convention and the probable action of the meeting of the National Committee.

After about 20 members had entered the room, Charles P. Taft, brother of the Secretary, appeared and sent word by the sergeant-at-arms that he wished to see Governor Herrick. The Governor immediately came out and Mr. Taft conferred with him for a short time. In a few minutes Henry W. Taft was sent for. The men had been together but a short time when Charles P. Taft left the building and boared a car for up town.

The Committee appointed the following sub-committee to wait upon Secretary Taft and get his ideas concerning the chairmanship of the committee: Messrs. Clayton, Arkansas; Herrick, Ohio; Kellogg, Minnesota; Nagel, Missouri; Ward, New York; Borah, Idaho and Duncan, North Carolina.

At least three of the members of this sub-committee are said to be in favor of some prominent man for chairman of the National Committee to conduct the campaign other than Frank H. Hitchcock. However they will not express themselves until they have talked over the situation with Secretary Taft. The brother of the secretary, Charles P. Taft, talked with Mr. Hitchcock in regard to the chairmanship and suggested that both Mr. Hitchcock and Mr. Vorys, of Ohio, refrain from having their names presented, so that an outside candidate could be named. Mr. Hitchcock replied that he had not been a candidate for the National chairmanship, had never taken any steps in that direction, would not be a candidate and would do absolutely nothing to embarrass in any way the interests of Secretary Taft; but he stated emphatically he would not take a subordinate position.

BASE BALL

National League.

At New York 6; Chicago 3.
At Brooklyn 3; Pittsburg 2.
At Philadelphia 0; Cincinnati 5.
At Boston 8; St. Louis 6.

American League.

At Detroit-Washington, rain.
At Cleveland-Philadelphia, rain.
At St. Louis 4; New York 0.
At Chicago 6; Boston 4.

Southern League.

At Atlanta 4; Birmingham 3.
At Little Rock 6; New Orleans 8; (Ten innings).
At Nashville 7; Montgomery 2.
At Memphis 3; Mobile 2.

South Atlantic League.

At Columbia 1; Jacksonville 0 (ten innings).
At Macon 5; Augusta 4.
At Savannah 3; Charleston 2.

Carolina League.

At Greenville 8; Greensboro 2.
At Spartanburg 0; Charlotte 1 (11 innings.)
At Anderson 1; Winston-Salem 8.

Virginia League.

At Portsmouth 0; Lynchburg 0 (13 innings.)
At Richmond 3; Roanoke 4.
At Danville 3; Norfolk 1.

A NEGRO BANK SUSPENDS.

Run Caused by Refusal of Check of a Negro Who Had Overdrawn.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Little Rock, Ark., June 19.—The Capital City Savings Bank, the only negro bank in Arkansas, went into the hands of a receiver today, on request of Charles B. King, the cashier. Marvin Harris was appointed receiver by Chancellor Martineu. Because an illiterate negro had overdrawn his account and had his check refused, he started a report yesterday that the bank was insolvent. Today several hundred negro depositors appeared at the bank and demanded their money. There was only $2,000 in cash on hand and the doors were not opened. Liabilities are about $75,000 with assets considerably in excess.

Mr. Harris was also appointed receiver for the People's Mutual Aid Association, a life insurance operated upon the industrial plan in connection with the bank.

Most of the London morning newspapers and the weeklies which were issued yesterday printed editorials on President Roosevelt's triumph in securing the nomination of Secretary Taft for the Presidency. The Daily Chronicle says: "To save the life of his policy he loses his life as President. It is an interesting phenomenon in the working of the American constitution." The Daily Praphic describes Mr. Taft as an "American Dauphin" adding, "There is something Napoleonic about this creation of a dynastic legitimacy under the shadow of the Stars and Stripes." All the newspapers pay tribute to Secretary Taft's great qualifications for the high office to which he has been nominated.

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WARM WIRELETS.

Secretary Taft left Washington at 4:05 o'clock last afternoon for Cincinnati, where he will confer with Representative Sherman, of New York, his running mate on the Republican National ticket.

Complete, but unofficial primary returns on the nomination of candidate for United States Senator in Oregon, give H. M. Cake, (Republican) 50,899 and George Chamberlain (Democrat) 52,421.

Representatives of labor organizations of the District of Columbia yesterday called at the White House to request the President to deliver a "Farewell Address to Labor" on Labor Day next September. The President will consider this request.

The President today appointed Jas. A. Fowler, of Knoxville, Tenn., to be Assistant Attorney General in place of Edward T. Sanford, appointed United States judge for the Middle and Eastern District of Tennessee. Messrs. Fowler and Sanford are law partners.

The British ship Lord Shaftsburg, which arrived at Victoria, B. C., Thursday morning from Port Talot, via Iquique, reported that within 300 miles west of Cape Horn a tidal wave was encountered which swept the decks taking all her boats and houses starting the hull and partially wrecking the ship.

Twenty persons were injured in a collision between a passenger train and a freight on the Wabash road Thursday night near Pendleton, Mo. A number of the most seriously injured were brought here today for medical attendance. Both engines, the baggage and mail cars and a number of freight cars were demolished.

Richard Croker's filly Rhodora won the triennial stakes at Ascot Thursday. She was ridden by Lucien Lyne and finished three-quarters of a length in front of Wheatear. Indian Runner was third. Six horses ran. With the exception of the winner, the starters were an indifferent lot. The betting on Rhodora was 2 to 1 against.

In the mayoralty election contest recount yesterday 57 boxes were recounted, comprising the Seventh assembly district of Kings. W. R. Hearst gained 87 and Mayor McClellan 27, a net gain for Hearst of 60. In 1,300 boxes opened thus far, Hearst has gained 482 net. There are still to be counted 648 boxes.

W. J. Bryan yesterday declined to discuss the work of the National Republican Convention. He received bulletins of today's events, telephoned to his library at Fair View. He entertained a number of callers during the morning. In the afternoon he prepared an analysis of the Republican platform. This he probably will make public today.

Attorneys for Harry K. Thaw applied to Justice Dowling today to modify the justice's order by which Thaw was committed to the hospital for the criminal insane at Matteawan at the conclusion of his trial for the murder of Stanford White. Colonel Frank Bartlett appeared for Thaw and District Attorney Jerome opposed the application. Justice Dowling reserved his decision.

Dr. Thomas W. Small, chief surgeon of the American Line steamer St. Louis, committed suicide in his cabin on the steamer early yesterday by shooting. No cause for the act is known. He had been absent from the ship all night. When he returned in the morning he appeared to be in a cheerful frame of mind and after chatting pleasantly for a time with one of the officers on duty, retired to his state room. A moment later the report of a shot was heard and when the door of the doctor's cabin was opened he was found dying from a bullet wound in his temple.

Famous Collection of Antlers.

Of the famous collections of antlers formed in the seventeenth century only two or three have escaped the general fate of conflagrations, sieges and pillage. One of these is in Moritzburg, the king of Saxony's historical hunting castle, near Dresden, while in the celebrated gun gallery in Dresden itself are to be seen in an unrivaled show the wonderfully inlaid arms used by the elector. The great banqueting hall of the castle of Moritzburg is one of the sights with which no doubt many a traveled reader has been charmed. It is a chamber of noble proportions, sixty-six feet long by thirty-four wide and thirty-eight feet high. On its otherwise unadorned white walls hang seventy-one pairs of magnificent antlers, which one may describe as the most famous of their kind in the world. Not a single one carries less than twenty-four tines or is less than 200 years old, while some are probably double that age.

A Celebrated Clock.

The art of the clockmaker has achieved many remarkable triumphs during many centuries. Sometimes it is a clock wonderful for the complexity of its movements and its busy population of automatons that attracts our admiration, like that in the Cathedral of Strassburg. At other times the immense size of the machinery and the dials excites astonishment. This is the case with the celebrated clock in the tower of the Church of St. Rombaut at Mechlin. A writer in La Nature thinks this clock possesses the largest dials that exist in the world. There are four of them, one on each side of the great square tower, and their extreme diameter is nearly thirty-seven and one-half feet. The figures showing the hours are nearly six and one-half feet high, and the hands have a length of nearly twelve feet.

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The Vanishing Trick.

Into the grocer's shop walked an ancient lady with a slow and halting tread and carrying on her arm a basket containing a large earthenware pot with a lid. Placing the basket on the counter, she made various purchases, which she put carefully in the pot, and had her bill made out.

"By the way," she said before paying this, "do you mind keeping this pot with the purchases in it until I come back and pay for them, as I have to buy other things some distance off, and it will be more convenient for me to leave the things here till later?"

This request was willingly acceded to, and, lifting the pot carefully out of the basket, the old dame placed it, with an effort, in a corner; then, placing her basket on her arm, left the shop. Hours went by, day ripened into evening, and evening gave way to night, but the old woman did not return. At last the proprietor thought of examining the earthenware pot to see if by any chance it had its owner's address upon it, and great was his astonishment, not untinged with dismay, to find that it possessed no bottom.—London Answers.

Witchcraft In the Nineteenth Century.

Most people believe that witchcraft among civilized people ended when the "Salem witch mania" ran its course and died out in the year 1692. It did as far as America is concerned, except among savages, but in other countries the belief in the superstition did not die until a much later date, even if it can be truly said to be dead now. In France an old beggar was tortured to death as late as 1807 on the charge of being one who "communed with evil spirits," and in Spain a witch was burned in 1808. In 1850 in France a man and his wife tortured a suspected witch to death, and nothing at all was done with them by the criminal courts on account of the lingering belief in sorcery. Four years later a witch was drowned in England, and in 1860 one was burned in Mexico. In 1874, 1879, 1880 and again in 1889 witches were publicly burned in Russia, and even as late as 1890 regular judicial trials of witches were had in Prussia, Poland and Austria-Hungary.

The Dangerous Age.

If a man is going to commit a crime during his lifetime the chances are that he will do it at the age of twenty-nine. It is a curious fact that statistics have shown that man is more dangerous at this period of his life than at any other. The majority of criminals in the state of New York have for some time been of this age. The general supposition is that men have attained the hghest development of their mental and physical powers at twenty-nine, and they are supposed to be able to distinguish between right and wrong and to realize the consequences liable to follow the indulgence of either. Next to the age of twenty-nine the greatest number of criminals have been twenty-one, twenty-seven or forty-five years of age. The intervening years, in which men do not commit as many crimes, have not been explained by expert criminologists who have made investigations proving the above statements to be true and who are still working on a solution of the problem.—New York Herald.

She Didn't Accept.

A little episode once greatly delighted Calve, the famous prima donna. She was being escorted over a famous grotto when she suddenly thought of an opera and burst into song, to which the boy who was her guide listened with much satisfaction. When she stopped he seriously remarked, "If you asked the proprietor whether you might sing in here while the people are being shown over I think he would pay you well." "How much do you think he would give me?" asked the prima donna, entering thoroughly into the spirit of the adventure. After thinking carefully the boy replied, "About 5 francs a day."

Cats and Fish.

A sea captain tells of his sailing in southern seas where flying fish abound. They would sometimes in their flight in the night come aboard the ship and drop on the deck. He had three cats that, though they were lying asleep below, would hear the sound whenever a fish struck the deck and would rush up to get it. They distinguish this from all other sounds. The crew tried to imitate it in various ways, but could not deceive the cats.

Insulted Him.

Ferry—What was the matter with Johnson last night that he should get insulted when I asked him to drink? He is not a total abstainer, is he? Wallace—It was the way you put the question. He is subject to attacks of kleptomania, and when you asked him if he 'wasn't beginning to feel like taking something" he got hurt, very naturally.

Conflicting Emotions.

"How happy a fellow feels when he has really repented of something wrong he has done!"

"Yes, and how infernally mad he gets when some other fellow recalls it to his mind afterward."

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NAMES OF FLOWERS.

Where Some of Them Come From and What They Mean.

It is interesting to know how certain flowers received their names. Many were named after people. For instance, the fuchsias were so called because they were discovered by Leonard Fuchs. Dahlias were named for Andre Dahl, who first brought them from Peru. The camellia received its name from a missionary named Kamel, who carried specimens of this flower from Japan to France. The magnolia was named in honor of Magnol de Montpelier. Other flower names are descriptive. Lady's slipper resembles a tiny slipper. The blossoms of lady's tresses are twisted like a braid of hair. The flowers of the foxglove are like the fingers of a glove. The name foxglove is said to be a corruption of "folk's glove" or "fairy's glove." Aster means star and received its name from the starlike rays of this flower. Daisy is really "day's eye." Dandelion means lion's tooth. Do you think the name is appropriate for this notched, rather jagged flower?

Anemone means "wind flower." The anemone is so delicately poised that it trembles in the slightest breeze. Dutchman's breeches resemble nothing so much as a baggy pair of trousers. Morning glories bloom only in the morning and four o'clocks not until that hour in the afternoon.—St. Louis Republic.

HOISTING DEVICES.

Machinery That Was Used In Building the Pyramids.

Hoisting machines were used in both Assyria and Egypt 6,000 or more years ago. In order to hoist the great stones of the pyramids some form of derrick was employed. Probably the first construction was that which is now known to mechanics as the shear legs. This is made of two great timbers tied together in the form of a capital A, the two ends resting on the ground and a rope being run over and attached at the top.

With one of these the pyramid builders could have raised large stones step by step, which was doubtless their method. We can imagine we see the great A frame leaning over an incline of perhaps fifty degrees with a block of stone tied on. Then a great crowd of men get hold of the rope on the opposite side, perhaps assisted by some draft oxen, and all strain and pull until the A frame stands erect and the stone is swung up into the air, where it can be pushed into the desired place.

Such a contrivance could be used to lift stones six or eight feet, which was sufficient for the construction of the first pyramid. Doubtless better hoisting devices were constructed as more pyramids were built.—Circle Magazine.

Mastered the Q.

Hundreds of people have cured themselves of impediments in speech. One of last year's mayors as a young man used to find it almost impossible to pronounce words beginning with a "q." Every day for months he used to walk across St. James' park practicing this sentence aloud, "A quantity of quicksilver quietly quartered in a quagmire," until he conquered the impediment. Today he is one of the most fluent speakers in England.—London Tit-Bits.

J. Pierpont Morgan, who arrived from Europe Friday expressed pleasure at the choice of Secretary of War Taft as the Republican nominee for the Presidency: "It's good, good," Mr. Morgan said. He declined to talk further on politics or any other subject.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to your Place of Business or Residence for Advertisements for our Business Locals Department. 'Phone the Star office, No. 51.

Rates—25 cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, 'Phone 51.

MEN—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in few weeks; mailed free. Moler Barber College, Atlanta, Ga. ju 20-3t*

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE will close each Saturday at one o'clock. ju-20-3t

WANTED—Carpenters and millwrights. Whiteville Lumber Company, Whiteville, N. C. ju 20-3t

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—Beginning July 1st, for wholesale and retail merchant, must have experience both as bookkeeper and typewriter. Address "S" care of Star. ju 20-3t

COTTAGES FOR RENT—Two partly furnished cottages on Wrightsville Beach; all conveniences. Apply to S. A. Schloss. ju 18-4t

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WANTED—A position as stenographer by a young lady with good education and experience. Address "Stenographer," P. O. Box 137, City. ju 18-1w

D. L. T. CAPPS is at the same old place "Candycapps," and is prepared to serve his same old trade and all others that may come. ju 13-tf.

I HAVE SECURED the agency for the celebrated Sohmer and the Mathushek Pianos and have samples on hand. For prices and terms apply to J. Bernard Williamson, 15 South Eighth street. Phone 446. ju 17-4t*

BRICK, BRICK, BRICK—The Cronly Brick Company is prepared to fill all orders for brick on short notice. Phone 84. Yards on Water, between Princess and Chesnut streets. may 19-tf

FOR RENT—New house, six rooms, kitchen and bath room—modern conveniences, 206 North Seventh street, also furnished rooms in fine locality. For sale house and lot on South Fifth street—66x165 feet. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. ju 7-tf.

MECHANICS' HOME ASSOCIATION, 108 Princess street, new series of B. and L. stock open now. How many shares do you want? N. B. New series open every year January and July. W. M. Cumming, secretary and treasurer; Walker Taylor president. ju 16-to-jul 16

SOUTHPORT COTTAGE for rent, furnished, on river front, from July 5th. Apply at once to E. B. Stevens. Southport, N. C. ju 18 3t.

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THE RURAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, will open the Eighth Series on Saturday, June 6th, 1908. Shares worth $100.00 at maturity. If you desire to accumulate any money, you could not make a better investment. See either Mr. Oscar Pearsall president, or J. O. Reilly, Sec. & Treas. for further information. ju 3-tf

A BARREL OF WATCHES

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F. A. BISSINGER
—119 MARKET STREET—
ju 9-tf.

Week-End Dance at Lumina Tonight!

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Duplin Journal: Mr. Preston Faison, of Oklahoma, passed through town Saturday en route to Kenansville where he visits his sister, Mrs. William Shaw. Mr. Faison has been west thirty-five years. His many friends and relatives are glad to see him again.

—Pender Chronicle: Our Point Caswell Correspondent gave Burgaw quite a boom in his letter last week, and yet he did not say a thing amiss. The improvement at this place has been quite marked, and is a healthy growth. Burgaw is so conveniently located and is so healthy that we ought to have at least doubt the population.

—Spencer, June 18.—Arthur Turner, a colored switchman on the Spencer yards of the Southern, was run over by an engine this afternoon and his left leg practically mashed off. He was promptly treated by local physicians, who sent him to a Salisbury hospital where his leg was amputated this afternoon. Little hope is entertained for his recovery.

—Henderson, June 18.—On Sunday morning last, at the Church of the Holy Innocents, the rector, Rev. Julian E. Itogle, from extreme debility fainted while conducting service. When removed to the vestry room, he soon regained consciousness, and though much exhausted he insisted upon continuing the service, but was not permitted to do so.

—Charlotte Observer: A Mexican war veteran, Uncle Jimmie Brown, of Cabarrus, and a delegate to the State convention of fifty years ago, when Ellis was nominated for Governor and Mr. Laban Hoyle, of Lincoln, will attend the convention here next week, the one as an honorary delegate and the other as a regular delegate. These are interesting citizns, Mr. Brown took part in three wars, and is a gay and chipper as a lark, and Mr. Hoyle is one of the boys.

—Sampson Democrat: A sad accident happened to Luther Parker's boy which cost him his life Monday in a most horrible manner. While holding his father's mule to graze in the strawberry patch, the boy carelessly allowed the rope line to the halter to drop over his head around his neck, when the mule took fright and ran around the field and throught the woods with the boy dangling to the rope halter, when the mule could be stopped the boy was found badly beaten up and dead.

—Winston-Salem, N. C., June 17.—The North Carolina Medical Society, which has been in session here since Tuesday, adjourned this afternoon. During the morning session charges were preferred against the Charlotte Medical Journal, organ of the society, alleging the publication of unethical advertising in selling space to the Biggs Sanitarium at Greensboro. The charges were brought by the Guilford Medical Society. The charges were finally referred to the Board of Councilors who will cite the editor of the medical journal to trial.

—Mount Olive Tribune: Last Tuesday morning Mr. J. D. Padgett, who happened to be passing at the time, found an obstruction on the Atlantic Coast Line track a short distance above the depot, that would doubtless have wrecked the early southbound passenger train that was due at the time by only about five minutes. A piece of iron about sixteen inches long had been placed in a joint of the rail, and from all appearances the obstruction was placed there for the purpose of wrecking the train. It is a pity that the perpetrator of such a dastardly offense could not be apprehended and given the limit of the law.

—Wadesboro Messenger: Mr. Arthur Hancock, who lives in North Wadesboro, is the proud owner of a rooster that is expected to bring off a brood of chickens tomorrow. The rooster is very fond of a certain hen in the yard and when the hen went to setting, three weeks ago, he, not being content to be separated from his true love, occupied the nest with her. Mr. Hancock noticed this and prepared another nest with 13 eggs in it, beside that of the hen and placed the rooster on it. The rooster seemed delighted with this arrangement and has failed in no part'cular—not even to clucking—in acting as would a hen under the same circumstances.

—Charlotte Observer: The happiest man in town is Dr. Wade H. Harris, the prolific editor of The Evening Chronicle, who is for Colonel Ashley Horne, the farmer-merchant-veteran candidate for Governor, first, last and all the time. He is crowing louder than a bantam rooster at a poultry show. Every time he leaves the shop he tarries on the door steps to rubber at the handsome, striking colored portrait that floats to the breezes in front of the Buford Hotel. Dr. Harris is a farmer at heart, as those who have read his papers for three decades will know from his annual paragraphs on the condition of the oat crop. There is no man that revels more in the reports of the Department of Agriculture of the United States. Boll weevils, San Jose scales and apple worms have been the subjects of vicious attacks by his versatile pen. "Horne is Governor of Mecklenburg already," said Dr. Harris last night as he left the office, "and he will be Governor of the State by and by."

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Notice to Creditors:

Mary Ann Smith, of said County and State, having filed her petition before the undersigned for her homestead exemption as the widow of Owen Smith, deceased, this is to notify all the creditors of the said Owen Smith that the said petition will be heard at my office in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, North Carolina, on Monday, the 30th day of November, 1908, when and where if they shall appear they may be heard.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1908.

G. W. BORNEMAN,
Justice of the Peace.

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NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:33 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 a.
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 m	10:52 p.
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 ar
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN ILMINGTON AND TH SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	8:35 pm	7:00 p
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n..	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'vlle		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:25 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:40 pm

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	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

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Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n	7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M.
Ar. Maxton	8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north. At Monroe with No. 51 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 64 for Washington and New York, No. 53 for Portsmouth Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

* This train leaves from Front and Princess. Freight received from 5:40 to 6:00 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
8:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight depot open on Sundays.

10:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.

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On days when games are advertised cars will leave Junction for grounds every 10 minutes from 2:15 to 4:15 P. M. On these days beach trains leaving Junction at 2:30, 3:00, 3:30 and 4:00 P. M. will not stop at the Baseball Grounds.

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Steamer Southport leaves Wilmington for Southport daily at 10:00 A. M., leaves Southport for Wilmington 2:30 P. M.

ju 12-tf.

WEEK END RATES VIA SEABOARD.

The Seaboard announces May 30th until September 30 round-trip rates from Wilmington as follows:

From Wilmington to—	
Jackson Springs, N. C.	$3.85
Lincolnton, N. C.	7.10
Shelby, N. C.	7.85
Rutherfordton, N. C.	8.65
Hickory, N. C.	7.95
Lenoir, N. C.	10.00
Blowing Rock	10.00
Chimney Rock, N. C.	10.00

Tickets to Jackson Spring sold for Saturday trains, good returning Monday; to Blowing Rock and Chimney Rock Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Tuesday. To other points for Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Monday following date of sale.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady 39 cents.

ROSIN—Market, quiet $2.45 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market, firm $1.50.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $2.70 for dip and $2.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin, $4.08; tar firm $2.40; crude turpentine $3.50, $4.75, $5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	54
Rosin	286
Tar	7
Crude Turpentine	142

Receipts—Same day last year, 83 casks spirits turpentine; 323 barrels rosin; 37 barrels tar; 30 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 11 1-2 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—155 bales, same day last year 1 bale.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 13@14c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides dull, 11@12 1-2c.

EGGS—Firm and in good demand at 17@18c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 15@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35@40c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green 4c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

COW PEAS—$1.90@$2.00 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 19.—The cotton market made a new record for the bull movement during today's trading and closed steady at a net advance of 2 to 12 points. Sales were estimated at 175,000 bales.

The market opened steady at an advance of 2 to 14 points, notwithstanding indifferent cables and good weather map. Old crop months which started relatively firm, sold off to about last night's close under realizing during the first few minutes, but a little later the market firmed up on a renewal of bull support and during the middle session advanced sharply on Wall Street covering with July selling up to 10.91 and October 9.73, and the general list showing a net gain of 9 to 22 points. This was followed by a reaction of 8 or 10 points under realizing for over the week end, but there was renewed covering in the last few minutes and bulls seemed to be in control of the old crop months at the close. Weather reports were generally favorable and crop experts report that conditions for the week have been favorable as to 80 per cent. of the crop, unfavorable as to 15 per cent., and a stand-off as to 5 per cent. A private cable was received reporting that South German spinners had decided on short time, but while this would be in line with recent pessimistic advices the report lacked confirmation at the close. A bullish week-end statement is expected tomorrow and the present strength of the market appears to be based upon the spot situation and small supplies available for delivery on contract.

Receipts at the ports today 13,660 bales against 9,894 last week and 2,761 last year. For the week 50,000 bales against 64,223 last week and 25,588 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 726 bales against 803 last year and at Houston 522 bales against 215 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 10 points higher. middling uplands 12.20; middling gulf 12.45; sales 50 bales. Futures opened and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
June	10.85	10.85
July	10.80	10.80
August	10.52	10.62
September	10.30	10.30
October	9.64	9.64
November	——	9.46
December	9.42	9.44
January	9.40	9.40
February	——	9.40
March	9.36	9.36

COTTON RECEIPTS.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 19.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	2,410,495
New Orleans	1,941,025
Mobile	323,162
Savannah	1,490,715
Charleston	199,772
Wilmington	495,485
Norfolk	531,488
Baltimore	78,913
New York	3,658
Boston	13,441
Newport News	3,952
Philadelphia	9,488
San Francisco	48,662
Brunswick	196,322
Port Townsend	101,500
Pensacola	161,663
Portland, Ore.	1,050
Port Arthur & Sabine Pass	108,500
Jacksonville	8,904
Eagle Pass, Texas	208
El Paso, Texas	250
Laredo, Texas	662
Minor Ports	6,324
Total	8,136,249

Comparative Cotton Statement.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 10.—For the week ending Friday, June 19th, 1908.

Net receipts at all United States ports during week 49,465.

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Total receipts since September 1st 8,136,249.

Total receipts to same date last year 9,731,925.

Exports for the week 82,345.

Exports for same week last year 63,324.

Total exports since September 1st 7,038,550.

Total exports same date last year 8,015,890.

Stock at all United States ports 273,083.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year 365,527.

Stock at all interior towns 200,514.

Stock at all interior towns, same time last year 203,037.

Stock at Liverpool some time last year 1,165,000.

Stock of Am. afloat for Great Britain same time last year 51,000.

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Firm, 11 7-8; net receipts 2,634.

New Orleans—Steady, 11 7-8; net receipts 726.

Mobile—Firm, 11 3-8; net receipts 32.

Savannah—Steady, 11 5-8; net receipts 1,074.

Charleston—Firm, 11 1-2; net receipts 2.

Wilmington—Quiet, 11 5-8; net receipts 155.

Norfolk—Firm, 12; net receipts 934.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12 1-4; net receipts 559.

New York—Quiet, 12.20.

Boston—Quiet, 12.20; net receipts 4.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.45; net receipts 81.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 7,522; Great Britain 13,660; Continent 20,597; stocks 273,083.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 49,465; Great Britain 29,305; France 5,800; Continent 47,240.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 8,136,249; Great Britain 2,809,280; France 814,660; Continent 3,222,847; Japan 1,902,114; Mexico 1,549.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 11 13-16; net receipts 522.

Augusta—Firm, 12; net receipts 137

Memphis—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts 502.

St. Louis—Firm, 11 3-4.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 52.

Louisville—Firm, 12; net receipts 44

Little Rock—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts 302.

Total today—Net receipts 1,559; gross receipts 7,963; shipments 6,506; sales 3,032; stocks 134,747.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, June 19.—Spot cotton quiet, prices 7 points higher. American middling fair 7.34; good middling 6.98; midling 6.70; low middling 6.32; good ordinary 5.74; ordinary 5.36.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 400 were for speculation and export and included 4,400 American.

Futures opened firm and closed steady. American middling GOC: June 6.11 June and July 6.04; July and August 5.97; August and September 5.71; September and October 5.31, October and November 5.27 1-2; November and December 5.20 1-2; December and January 5.17; January and February 5.14; February and March 5.14; March and April 5.14.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 19.—Dry goods are being shipped freely from the dry goods district partly on old orders and partly on the new business that has come forward since the low values began to attract buyers. Cotton goods are firmer and tending higher, cotton yarns showed more movement for the day. The local wool market is quiet save in territory and Texas wools.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 19.—Operations in stocks remained largely in professional hands although the movement of prices was somewhat freer than on earlier days of the week and was at the expense of values. Professional traders professed political motives for their selling of stocks, pointing to the anti-injunction plank of the Republican platform as a matter for disquietude to holders of securities and the liklihood of the campaign discussion taking a tone of aggression upon corporations also was dwelt upon. Some of the unfavorable developments which were passed over yesterday reasserted an influence today. This was seen in the wide break in Louisville and Nashville in consequence of the reduction of the dividend rate yesterday; in Republic Steel preferred because the dividend was passed yesterday and in Baltimore and Ohio as a result of the threatening curtailment of net earnings revealed by the statement for May. Reports of damage to railroad property by floods in the southwest were given net attention. A bad settlement was produced by another sag in the price of the Union Pacific refunding bonds "when issued." The resistance of these bonds at 1-8 below the subscription price has given the impression that they were pegged at that price which is 95 3-8. Today they sold at 95 1-4. In connection with the reports from bond dealers, investment demand generally for bonds has died out, this incident was of no influence. Discount rates were higher in Paris and lower in Berlin. Money rates here showed undiminished ease. The banks have made another heavy gain in cash this week. The Union Pacific financing is likely to figure in the bank statement for this week. Confidence in the continued ease of the money market is not at all impaired. Last prices of stocks were not far from the lowest of the day. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par. value, $2,882,000 United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales today 435,800 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 19.—Money on call easy 1 1-2 to 1 3-4 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-2, closing bid 1 1-4, offered at 1 1-2.

Time loans dull and firm; sixty days 2 per cent., and ninety days 2 per cent., and ninety days 2 to 2 1-4 per cent., six months 3 to 3 1-2 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange slightly easier with actual business in bankers bills at 4.87 for demand and at 4.8550 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.847-8 to 4.85 1-2. Bar silver 54 3-8. Mexican dollars 47.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	104 1-2
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	105
U. S. 3s reg	101
U. S. 3s cou	101
U. S. new 4s reg	121 1-4
U. S. new 4s cou	122 1-4
American Tobaco Co. 6s	105 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	92
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	98 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s	52 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	99
U. S. Steel 5s	96 1-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	66 5-8
American Car & Foundry	33 3-4
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	96
Amr. Cotton Oil Co.	——
Amr. Locomotive	43 1-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	99
Amr. Sugar Refining	124
Amr. Tobacco pfd	88 1-2
Atchison	80 7-8
Atchison pfd	93
Atlantic Coast Line	88 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	86 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	82@87
Chesapeake & Ohio	43
Erie	18 7-8
Erie 1st pfd	34 3-8
Erie 2nd pfd	23
Kansas City Southern	23 1-2
Kansas City Southern pfd	54 1-4
L. & N.	103 1-4
New York Central	102 1-4
Norfolk & Western	67
Pennsylvania	120 5-8
People's Gas	91 1-4
Reading	112 1-8
Rock Island Co.	17
Rock Island Co. pfd	33 1-2
Standard Oil	600
Southern Pacific	86 1-8
Southern Pacific pfd	119
Southern Railway	17 1-8
Southern Railway pfd	45
U. S. Steel	37 1-4
U. S. Steel pfd	101
Va.-Car. Chemical	24
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	100 1-4
Seaboard Air Line	——
Seaboard Air Line pfd	——
Western Union	53@56

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 19.—Flour—Dull.

Rye Flour—Dull.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Easy; No. 2 red, 98 elevator. Options 7-8 to 1c net lower. July 95 1-4; September 92 1-2.

Corn—Spot steady No. 2, 77 nominal elevator. Options 5-8c net higher. July 78 5-8. September 77.

Oats—Spot firm; mixed 54 to 55.

Lard—Steady.

Pork—Firm.

Tallow—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw steady, fair refining 3.81; centrifugal 96 test 4.31; molasses sugar 3,56; refined steady.

Potatoes—Firm, unchanged.

Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Coffee—Quiet, Rio No. 7, 6 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 3-4; mild dull, Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 1-2. Futures net 5 points higher to 5 points lower.

Cotton Seed Oil was barely with demand poor. Prime crude 38 to 39; prime summer yellow 46 3-4; off summer yellow 40 1-2 to 45 1-4; good off summer yellow 41 to 45 3-4; prime white 46 to 50; prime winter yellow 47 to 49.

Butter—Weak; creamery specials 23 1-2; extras 23; third to first 19@22 1-2.

Cheese—Firm; State, full cream specials 12@13; small fancy 11 3-4; large, 11 1-2.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
July	88 3-8	88 1-2	87 3-8
Sept	86 3-8	87	85 3-8
Dec.	87 3-4	88	86 7-8
Nov.	87 1-4	88	86 5-8
Corn—			
July	69 7-8	70 1-2	69 3-4
Sept	69 1-8	69 7-8	69 1-4
Dec.	59	59 1-4	58 5-8
May	58 3-4	59 1-8	58 1-2
Oats—			
July	45 1-4	46	45 3-4
July	44 1-4	44 1-2	44 1-2
Sept	37 3-8	39	38 3-8
May	40 3-4	41 3-4	40 3-8
Mess pork, per bbl.—			
July	14 45	14 47 1-2	14 30
Sept	14 72 1-2	14 72 1-2	14 55
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
July	8 78 1-2	8 87 1-2	8 80
Sept	9 07 1-2	9 07 1-2	8 97 1-2
Oct.	9 17 1-2	9 17 1-2	9 07 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
July	8 02	8 02 1-2	7 95
Sept	8 25	8 27 1-2	8 17 1-2
Oct.	8 30	8 35	8 27 1-2

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, easy. No. 3 spring wheat 95 1.01; No. 2 red 91 1-4@92 1-2. No. 2 corn 70 1-2@71; No. 2 yellow 73 1-2@74. No. 3 white oats 51 1-4@53. No. 2 rye 78@80. Fair to choice malting 56@62. Prime timothy seed 3.80. Short ribs, sides (loose) 7.62 1-2@8.00. Mess pork, per bbl. 14.30@14.40. Lard per 100 lbs 8.07 1-2. Short clear sides (boxed) 8.05@8.07 1-2. Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, June 19.—Rosin quiet. Turpentine quiet.

Savannah, June 19.—Spirits turpentine 40; sales 1,453; receipts 1,566; shipments 617.

Rosin firm; sales 3,179; receipts 3,639; shipments 2,680; stocks 93,982. Quote: A. B. C. 2.75; D, 3.10; E, 3.20; G, 3.35; H, 3.80; I, 4.60; K, 5.65; M, 6.00; N, 6.25; WG, 6.40; WW, 6.45.

Charleston, June 19.—Turpentine steady 39 1-2; rosin steady. Quote: A. B. C. 2.65; D, 3.00; E, 3.10.

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Wilmington, N. C., June 19, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—3 barrels tar; 11 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—96 bales cotton; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—18 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 5 barrels rosin; 69 barrels crude turpentine

A. & Y. Railroad—20 bales cotton; 8 casks spirits turpentine; 50 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—20 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 17 barrels rosin; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—27 casks spirits turpentine; 64 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar.

Str. City of Fayetteville—1 bale cotton; 16 casks spirits turpentine; 150 barrels rosin; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—155 bales cotton; 54 casks spirits turpentine; 286 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar; 142 barrels crude turpentine.

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CONGRESSMAN SHERMAN

The Nominee of the Party for the Second Place on the Ticket—Waiting to Hear From Mr. Taft as to His Running Mate.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Convention Hall, Chicago, June 19.—The exhausting work of yesterday's session in the Republican National Convention, the promise of another day of sweltering heat and the fact that the great event on the programme had transpired, all combined to cause a scanty arrival of the delegations today.

The effect was even more marked in the number of spectators. When the convention was called to order there was not present a twentieth part of those who witnessed the opening of the day before. The crowd outside the Coliseum was far smaller too, and altogether the general interest in the convention was at low tide compared with the excitement of yesterday.

As the delegates began to arrive in strong force in the convention hall the word that the Vice Presidential nominee was to be James S. Sherman, of New York, commenced to filter through. The report steadily strengthened and in a few minutes the "grapevine telegraph" was carrying around the hall the statement that an agreement had been reached on the much discussed question.

J. Sloat Fassett, of New York, confirmed on his arrival the report that it was to be Sherman and he asked Chairman Lodge to delay the calling of the convention to order until two brass bands that had been hired by the New York delegation could arrive. The chairman agreed to this, saying: "I know there is nothing to it, but Sherman."

It was 10:18 this morning when the gavel of Chairman Lodge began to pound for order. There were scores of empty seats on the floor and in the balconies as Rabbi Shanfarber, of Chicago, made the opening prayer.

Chairman Lodge at the conclusion of the prayer stated that he desired to make a formal announcement which had been overlooked in the rush of the closing hours of yesterday.

"It is my pleasure to announce to you that you have nominated for the Presidency for the term beginning March 4 next, the Hon. William Howard Taft, of Ohio."

The announcement was greeted with cheering, which was soon interrupted however, by a delegate from Michigan, who offered a motion providing that all nominating and seconding speeches for Vice Presidential candidates be limited to ten minutes. This was carried with a roar and the delegates broke into a cheer, as the first notes of "Marching Through Georgia" were heard from an approaching band outside the building. The New Yorkers realizing that this was the Sherman demonstration which they had arranged, broke into cheers. A huge picture of Sherman was carried aloft and was greeted with tumultuous cheers.

The motion to limit the nominating speeches, the chair announced, had been unanimously carried.

The call of the roll for nominations then was in order and there was no response until Delaware was reached when Senator Dupont rose and declared: "Delaware yields to New York."

This was the beginning of the enthusiasm and there was an outburst of cheering led by the New York delegation. Timothy Woodruff had been chosen to make the Sherman nomination speech and was met with another vociferous outburst from New York as he was introduced to the convention by Senator Lodge.

The point made by Mr. Woodruff that no Republican ticket had ever been defeated when a New York man was on it, except once, and that was when "the opposing party was bright enough to put a New York man at the head of their ticket," evoked much laughter and applause.

"On behalf of the united delegation of the pivotal State of the Union, for as New York goes, so goes the Nation, I present to you the name of Congressman James S. Sherman." It was thus Mr. Woodruff concluded and Speaker Cannon arose to second the nomination.

Thomas N. McCarter, of New Jersey, placed in nomination former Governor Franklin Murphy of that State. New Jersey loyally cheered the name of ex-Governor Murphy.

Harry Skinner, a delegate from North Carolina, while standing on the convention floor, spoke briefly seconding the nomination of Sherman.

When Tennesee was reached another second was given to Sherman by H. Clay Evans, and C. B. Slemp, of Virginia, put his State in line for the New York man.

The call proceeded and was completed, when a number of Louisiana delegates pressed forward to the front of the Speaker's platform asking that their State be called again, in order to allow ex-Governor Warmoth to deliver a seconding speech. The chairman refused to allow this saying: "The clerk will call the roll." The roll call showed 816 votes for Sherman, 77 for Murphy, 75 for Guild, 10 for Seldon and one for Fairbanks, one delegate not voting.

The big picture of Sherman was upraised immediately the result was announced and for five minutes the convention was in an uproar.

A professional cheer leader with a flag and a megaphone rushed to the front of the platform. He had made quite a reputation at the convention of four years ago, but today Chairman Lodge grabbed the young man by the scruff of the neck and sent him whirling back to his place.

"Shall the nomination be made unanimous?" asked Chairman Lodge, as he recognized Senator Crane, of Massachusetts, who made a motion in accordance with the chairman's question in behalf of Governor Guild. New Jersey and Nebraska quickly trailed on, and when the motion was put, it was carried with a shout of approval.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire offered the usual resolution to appoint the permanent chairman, Senator Lodge, as chairman of the committee to notify the Presidential nominee and that the temporary chairman, Senator J. C. Burrows, be appointed to head the committee to notify the Vice Presidential nominee.

Chairman Lodge, who is going abroad during the summer, requested that Senator William Warner, of Missouri, past commander in chief of the G. A. R. be substituted in his place. The resolution was unanimously adopted with this amendment.

The usual motions of acknowledgement to the officers of the convention and to the city in which it was held were passed.

Judson W. Lyon, of Georgia, was recognized to make the motion to adjourn without day. It was put into effect at 11:47 o'clock A. M. The band played "The Star Spangled Banner," the delegates rapidly left the hall, and the convention of 1908 had made its way into history.

WOMAN TO BE ELECTROCUTED.

Convicted of a Horrible Murder and Sentenced to the Electric Chair. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Watertown, N. Y., June 19.—Guilty of murder in the first degree was the verdict of the jury today in the case of Mrs. Mary Farmer, charged with the killing of Mrs. Sarah Brennan. The jury was out three hours. Justice Rogers sentenced Mrs. Farmer to be electrocuted at Auburn prison during the week beginning August 2.

The crime for which Mrs. Farmer who is 29 years old, was convicted, was most fiendish. Her victim, Mrs. Brennan, who was 55 years old, was her neighbor and intimate friend and the motive was to gain possession of the Brennan home deeds which Mrs. Farmer had forged in October. The crime was committed April 23.

Mrs. Brennan was hacked to pieces with a hatchet and her body stuffed in a trunk.

Mrs. Farmer's husband is also under indictment on a charge of murder in the first degree as accessory to the crime.

THE SUBURBAN.

Keane's Horse Ballot Has an Easy Victory Over the Field.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, June 19.—Ballot, a sturdy 4-year-old son of Voter, at Sheepshead Bay today, carried the famous white with the blue polka dot colors of James R. Keene to victory in the Suburban Handicap—the premier racing event of the United States. He won with ease by two and a half lengths. Struggling gamely forward at the finish came James E. Madden's 3-year-old colt, King James, hard driven by Guy Burns, five lengths before Fair Play, the pride of August Belmont's stable. Master Robert was fourth.

The time for the mile and a quarter was 2:03, one fifth of a second slower than the world's record made by Broomstick at Brighton Beach July 9, 1904. Broomstick was a 3-year-old and carried 104 pounds. Ballot's impost was 127 pounds.

After the race Mr. Keane was the recipient of numerous congratulations for his first winning of the historic race.

THE PRICE INDICTMENTS

Motion to Have the Same Set Aside is Continued by the Judge. (By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, June 19.—Judge Hough, in the United States Circuit Court today reserved decision on a motion by counsel to set aside the indictment against Theodore H. Price, for conspiracy to defraud the United States and the bribing of a Government official in the department of Agriculture. Counsel asked that the minutes of the Federal grand jury be incorporated in the papers in support of the motion, asserting that Price's constitutional rights had been violated when he was called as a witness in a proceeding in which he was the defendant. In opposing the motion District Attorney Stimson said there had been no violation of defendant's constitutional rights, as Price had offered himself as a witness.

On a similar motion in behalf of Moses Haas, jointly indicted with Price, Judge Hough directed Mr. Stimson to submit a brief in reply.

"A CORKING TIME."

Mr. Roosevelt Says He Has Had Since in the White House.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, June 19.—On the eve of his departure for Oyster Bay, for his Summer vacation, the President was reminded that he perhaps, of all men, had fairly earned a rest, to which he replied briskly and cheerily:

"Do not waste any sympathy on me. I have enjoyed every minute of my stay here, and my thanks are due to the American people and not theirs to me for the opportunity I have had to serve them. I have had a perfectly corking time," he added with a characteristic Roosevelt smile and a final handshake.

Three miners are dead, two others perhaps fatally burned and fifteen entombed, many of whom are supposed to be dead, from an explosion at the Ellsworth No. 1 mine of the Pittsburg Coal Company yesterday. Of the victims taken from the mine, John Beal is the only one identified. The others are foreigners whose features were too scorched to be recognized.

TAFT RESIGNS; HIS SUCCESSOR.

The Resignatian Already Tendered and Accepted To Take Effect on June 30th.

GENERAL LUKE WRIGHT

Selected by the President as the New Secretary of War—A Statement From the White House as to Reasons for the Selection.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, June 19.—Secretary Taft today resigned to take effect June 30th.

Luke E. Wright, of Tennessee, will be appointed Secretary of War to succeed Secretary Taft.

The correspondence between the President and Secretary Taft relating to the latter's resignation is very brief. Secretary Taft simply said in his resignation:

"I hereby tender my resignation as Secretary of War, to take effect June 30th next."

The President in his reply said:

"Your resignation is hereby accepted, to take effect June 30th."

The resignation was dated yesterday and the acceptance today.

The statement given out at the White House concerning Mr. Wright's appointment says:

"As Philippine Commissioner and later as Vice Governor and Governor, he won the affection and regard of the army to a high degree and many of the most distinguished of the men who served in the army at the time he was in the Pihilppines have urged his appointment because they say he was in a peculiar way their champion and to a peculiar degree understood them and their needs. This is especially true as regards the men who were Union veterans of the Civil War, for these grow to feel that he was always specially interested in their welfare.

"Moreover his great administrative and legal ability both peculiarly fit him to deal with the problems in the Philippines, Panama and Cuba; for the work of the War Department is now such that only a man with special fitness and unusual training is able to do justice to it. Of all the men in the country, the President feels that Luke Wright is the man best equipped to take up the work of the Department, which for the last seven years has been under the control first of Root and then of Taft.

"As a young man he was a captain in the Confederate army. He is one of the leading layers not only of his State, but of the entire South. He has also been foremost in advocating and insisting upon fair treatment for the colored people. He first definitely established his reputation in the terrible days of the yellow fever epidemic at Memphis when he practically made himself mayor of the town and took charge of all the relief measures, showing what may justly be called devotion to duty and indifference to his own life together with the masterful qualities of a successful administrator in a great crisis. He was himself struck down by the plague he was fighting, but lived to see it stamped out and himself to take part in introducing into Memphis the hygenic measures which have since made it one of the model health cities in the world.

"He was appointed by President McKinley as one of the Philippine Commission and enjoyed President McKinley's heartiest confidence, being selected as one of those Southerners who were in sympathy with his administration. Under President Roosevelt he was promoted first to Vice Governor and then Governor of the Philippines and was afterward made the first Ambassador to Japan. In all positions he served with signal fidelity and ability and has been in hearty and out spoken agreement with the administration in all its main policies."

Memphis, Tenn., June 19.—When seen by an Associated Press representative General Luke E. Wright said he did not think it proper to discuss the announcement that he would succeed Secretary Taft in the War Department until he had received further advices from Washington.

General Wright, who was formerly American Ambassador to Japan, arrived here early last fall, having resigned his portfolio.

ROSEVELT'S CONGRATULATIONS.

To Congressman Sherman on His Nomination For Vice President. (By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, June 19.—President Roosevelt today sent a telegram to Representative Sherman congratulating him upon his nomination saying:

"Accept my hearty congratulations and my earnest good wishes for the success of the ticket of Taft and Sherman."

Secretary Taft sent a telegram to Representative Sherman immediately upon hearing of the nomination:

"I sincerely and cordially congratulate you upon your nomination as Vice President. I welcome you as a colleague in the contest and look forward with confidence to the result of the joint struggle. Will you not meet me in Cincinnati tomorrow to confer on matters of importance?"

A tornado passed through Adams, Minn., Tuesday night, doing considerable damage to property and injuring two persons. Two brick storebuildings were partly unroofed and a few other buildings, mainly barns and sheds, were destroyed or turned over.

Platt & Haar's store was closed yesterday afternoon for half holiday. Open all day Saturday. Patronize Platt & Haar. **

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By virtue of the power vested in me by a deed of assignment made by Nixon & Wirgman, I will sell to the highest bidder at public auction, for cash, on Wednesday, July 1st, 1908, at eleven o'clock A. M. at the building at the foot of Queen street in the City of Wilmington, formerly occupied by Nixon & Wirgman, as a barrel heading plant, all the machinery, fixtures, beltings and other property and appurtenances connected therewith. Sale to be for cash, but subject to the approval of the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover County.

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